

President Truman's Personal Physician Is Named as Trader

Governor of Utah Also Included in List of Grain Speculators

Washington, Dec. 29—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, President Truman's personal physician, and Gov. H. B. Maw of Utah were among 99 public officials named by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson today as speculating in grain last September.

The 99 included 80 federal government employees, counting military officers as federal employees. The others work for state or local governments.

Graham issued a statement saying his broker bought the grain for him without his knowledge and that when he learned of it he ordered it sold. He said he had turned "a very small saving" over to his broker with instructions to handle his account as the broker thought best.

Neither he nor his family has any commodity holdings, Graham said.

Ordered Grain Sold

Graham said he ordered the wheat sold Oct. 7 because of "public discussion" of grain trading. That was two days after President Truman, in a radio broadcast in connection with his food conservation program, said grain prices "should not be subject to the greed of speculators who gamble on what may lie ahead in our commodity markets."

The cost of living in this country must not be a football to be kicked about by gamblers in grain."

In Salt Lake City, Maw told reporters he had "participated in market trading on and off for the past 20 years."

Maw added that such trading was "perfectly legitimate" and that thousands of businessmen over the country traded in the grain, stocks, and bonds markets.

Graham was reported to have held 30,000 bushels of wheat on the "long" side of the market and 20,000 bushels on the short side on September 17.

He also was reported to have sold 10,000 bushels September 19.

Governor Maw was listed as having held 5,000 bushels on the long side of the market on September 17 and to have sold the same amount on September 18.

Speculation Explained

Those on the "long" side of the market believe prices will go higher and accordingly buy grain for future delivery. Those on the "short" side believe prices will go down. They sell for future delivery, hoping to gain by a price decline.

Today's traders is the third released by the department under congressional instructions growing out of charges by Harold E. Stassen, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, and others that "government insiders" have been profiting by

Million Dollar Fire



Firemen pour streams of water into the smoldering ruins of wholesale houses in the central business district of Philadelphia. Six hundred firemen were called out to battle the blaze which raged out of control for more than two hours.

Local Briefs

New Librarian Named—

Miss Wurdell of St. Louis, Mo., has been appointed librarian of the Dixon public library. It was stated today, and will take up her duties Jan. 15.

Loses Pearls in Dixon—

Mrs. Reuben Barnhart, Black Hawk hotel, Oregon, reported to the police Saturday evening, the loss of a strand of pearls, believed to have dropped in the business district during a shopping tour.

Licensed Here to Marry—

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Kenneth C. Carroll and Lorraine E. Baker, both of Dixon, in the office of County Clerk Sterling Schrock.

Plan Watch Night Party—

The Palmyra Grange will sponsor a Watch Night party Wednesday evening, Dec. 31 at the Palmyra town hall. All members are urged to attend. A program of entertainment will be provided.

Minor Traffic Accident—

Saturday evening about 5:30 cars driven by William Boward and Walter Emfield, collided at the intersection of Third street and Galena avenue. Minor damage resulted and the occupants were uninjured, according to the police report.

Eye-glasses, Keys Found—

A pair of bifocal glasses in a case bearing the insignia of the Knights of Columbus has been found on the streets in the business district and turned over to the lost and found department at the police station where it awaits the claim of the owner. A bunch

Ankles, Heel Bones Fractured in Fall

Glenn Reagle, dairy herdsman on the Abe E. Smith farm, north of Grand Detour, suffered serious injury in an accident Friday evening about 8:30. He was climbing down from a silo when one of the steel rungs snapped and he fell a distance of about 20 feet, landing on his feet on the concrete curbing.

Both his ankles were broken and the bones in the left heel were shattered. Saturday morning he was brought to the KSB hospital where the injuries were x-rayed and after being treated, he was returned to his home, where today he was reported to be resting as comfortably as could be expected.

Young Priest, Unable to Raise His Arms Above Head, Sings First Mass

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Loyalty Reviewers' Procedure Methods Made Public Sunday

Drastic Rules Are Held Essential to Protect U. S. Government

Washington, Dec. 29—(AP)—A Republican and Democrat in congress agreed today that drastic rules for handling cases of federal employees accused of disloyalty are justified because the government "must not take chances."

Reps. Bloom (D-Ill.) and Jonkman (R-Mich.) told a reporter that any doubtful cases must be decided in favor of the government and that secrecy is essential.

That was their reaction to the week-end announcement of politics and procedure for the government's loyalty review board, headed by Seth W. Richardson.

Richardson, former assistant attorney general, said cases will be handled in strict secrecy and with no public hearings.

In many cases suspected employees can not be told who supplied information leading to investigations, he said. This is necessary, he added, to protect information sources of the FBI, which will do the investigating.

This means, Richardson said, that an accused person will be unable to confront or cross-examine his accuser. But he said the government has as much right as a private employer to fire someone "for reasons which seem sufficient."

Bloom and Jonkman both reasoned along much the same line. As members of the foreign affairs committee, they have been interested in the cases of seven state department employees who first were fired as "potential security risks" and later were permitted to resign.

Jonkman headed a subcommittee which was instructed last year to try to find out whether any communists were on the state department payroll.

"There was no mistake made in those seven department cases," the Michigan lawmaker said. "They had the goods on them. And, in any event, the government should be given the benefit of the doubt. We can't afford to take a chance."

"I'm convinced that orders came through from higher up to give those seven another hearing and let them go without prejudice—which means they could get a job in another department."

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Five of Six Indictments in Lee Co. Land Sales Quashed

GOP Anti-Inflation Law Assured

President Promises To Sign Measure He Called "Inadequate"

Some Republicans Strike Back With Angry Words at His Castigation

Washington, Dec. 29—(AP)—President Truman promised to sign into law today the Republican anti-inflation bill, but he branded it as "pitifully inadequate" to deal with the "grave peril" confronting the nation's economy.

Several key Republicans struck back with angry words of their own in defense of the voluntary steps which form the backbone of the GOP measure.

Thus the high cost of living and how to bring it down sizzled as the major political issue to start off the 1948 election year.

Truman took the unusual course of issuing a Sunday statement to announce his decision and to declare that if congress does not give him better weapons to fight inflation the country may face a

WEATHER

MONDAY, DEC. 29, 1947

FORECAST FOR DIXON AND VICINITY—Cloudy tonight with light rain or drizzle beginning late tonight and changing to snow Tuesday, continuing through Tuesday night; somewhat warmer tonight; colder Tuesday night; light to moderate rain or snow, shifting to northeasterly 20 miles per hour late Tuesday; low tonight 26, high Tuesday 32, low Tuesday night 18.

For the 24 hours ending at 7:00 p. Saturday—maximum temperature 40, minimum 20 (year ago 55 and 22); clear.

Sunday—maximum temperature 42, minimum 25 (year ago 58 and 27); clear.

Tuesday—sun rises at 7:17, sets at 4:25.

TODAY'S WEATHER STORY
(By The Associated Press)

An abrupt end tonight of the mild weather spell in the northern Plains and upper Mississippi valley was predicted by the weather bureau today as the North Atlantic states continued to dig out of the recent snowfall of Friday.

A new storm area centered in western South Dakota, growing in size, brought snow and the prospect of five to 15 below zero temperatures for North Dakota tonight. South Dakota temperatures were expected to range from five above to five below.

The weather bureau predicted considerable drifting of snow by winds in the van of the cold front as it crossed the Dakotas. Snow and cold were expected to be less severe in Iowa, Wisconsin, southeastern Minnesota and Illinois.

A predicted cold wave in New York and New England today was moderated by cloudiness. The lowest temperature this morning in the Northeast was one above zero in northern New York state.

The Midwest cold wave, while not extreme, will bring a sharp weather contrast to the Dakotas where nighttime temperatures were generally somewhat above 27 degrees.

Predictions for tonight included zero to five above in northern Minnesota, eight to 12 above in northern Minnesota, eight to 12 above in northern Wisconsin and northern Iowa, and 20 to 25 above in southern Iowa.

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E. Aurora 43, Dixon Dukes 28

Big City's Big Snow



Thirty-fourth after the start of New York City's heaviest snow fall, normally busy 8th Avenue looked like this. This cluster of stalled busses, trucks and autos stretches north from 21st street.

Fog, Gales, Bitter Cold Hamper Rescue of Crash Survivors

Two Rescue Planes, Glider Down in Arctic, 95 Miles From Nome

Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 29—(AP)—An unidentified plane with 20 persons aboard was reported to have crashed into the water off Kastrup airport early tonight.

The plane was understood to have arrived from Paris.

Nome, Alaska, Dec. 29—(AP)—Heavy ground fogs, gale force winds and sub-zero temperatures confronted rescue parties today as the Air Force further hindered by the crash landing of a C-47 tow plane and its glider in Sunday's operations, sought to evacuate

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Deaths in Eastern Snow Storm Mount to Seventy Today

New York, Dec. 29—(AP)—Transportation links in the New York metropolitan area hurried their greatest test today as millions struggled back to their jobs for the first time since Friday's devastating snowstorm hit the area from Maine to Washington.

Deaths in the storm belt rose to at least 70.

Railroads, with the exception of the Long Island, reported commuter traffic about normal. The Long Island, which was almost completely out of service Friday night and early Saturday, managed to bring its trains in today although they were subject to delays of more than an hour in many instances.

In the city, most principal arteries had been cleared by thousands of workers laboring in day and night shifts since Friday and using more than 2,000 pieces of mechanical equipment.

Side streets, frozen solid by below freezing temperatures through the night and morning, were slippery and treacherous for pedestrians and those intrepid motorists who brought out their cars.

In outlying areas, the record 25.3 inches of snow that fell here Friday remained almost untouched and drifts were piled as high as five and six feet.

The death toll by states was: New Jersey 21, New York 17, Massachusetts 9, Connecticut 6, Pennsylvania 1, Rhode Island 2, New Hampshire 2, and Maine 1. Many fatalities were attributed to heart attacks induced by over-exertion in clearing snow.

City Markets Commissioner Eugene G. Schultz reported deliveries of food were "good" and warned the public against "paying exorbitant prices for food."

Beats Wife, Leaves Her to Die in Cold

Watertown, S. D., Dec. 29—(AP)—William Overland, 52-year-old Codington county farmer, was held in jail without charge today after State's Attorney R. F. Manson reported Overland had admitted beating his wife and leaving her on a snowy road where she froze to death.

Manson said the 45-year-old woman's body was found Saturday but that Mrs. Overland had been dead since last Monday night. The coroner's autopsy report said she froze to death and that body injuries had been a contributing cause of her death.

The state's attorney said Overland in a statement said he struck his wife during a quarrel last Monday night; left her on the road where he found her dead the next morning; and carried her body home where he attempted to kill himself with a .22 calibre rifle.

Philadelphia's Fourth Major Fire in One Day Causes \$1,000,000 Loss

Philadelphia, Dec. 29—(AP)—Philadelphia's fourth major fire within 24 hours—coming in the wake of a heavy snowfall that hampered the efforts of firemen—destroyed five industrial buildings and damaged a half dozen adjoining structures with a loss estimated at \$1,000,000.

The latest blaze yesterday—bringing to about \$1,500,000 the damage caused by major fires in the 24-hour period—struck in a downtown manufacturing district interspersed with such historic landmarks as Christ church, a half block from the scene, and the

Kane County Five Eliminates Dixon in Tourney Today

East Aurora eliminated Dixon's Dukes from the DeKalb basketball tournament this morning, the Dukes bowing 43-28. East Aurora pulled away to an early 10-2 lead and was never threatened.

Center Bob Dremmel pumped in eight field goals and a pair of free throws for 18 points to pace East Aurora, while Jim Phelps counted six baskets to lead the locals.

Meanwhile, Rochelle swept past a tall Proviso team, favored in pre-tourney ratings, scoring a 32-22 decision this morning. Outplaying Proviso all the way, the Hubs were paced by forward Paul Plumley, who counted 16 points on five field goals and six free throws.

Rochelle will meet East Aurora in the tournament quarter-finals at 3 p. m. tomorrow.

Dixon (28)				
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
Phelps, J.	F	6	0	2
Eckhardt, J.	F	1	1	5
Karydes, J.	F	0	1	0
Munson, C.	C	2	3	6
Utter, C.	C	0	0	2
Wallace, G.	G	1	0	5
Lahey, G.	G	1	1	0
Elliott, G.	G	0	0	0
Anderson, G.	G	0	0	2
Christ, G.	G	0	0	3
Totals		12	4	21

East Aurora (43)				
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
Dunn, J.	F	2	3	2
Hogle, J.	F	0	0	0
Eckhardt, J.	F	0	0	0
Dremmel, C.	C	8	2	4
Archer, C.	C	0	1	10
Scherer, G.	G	1	3	1
Timok, G.	G	2	3	7
Tansey, G.	G	0	0	0
Orland, G.	G	0	0	0
Totals		14	15	11

Rochelle (32)				
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
Ripp, J.	F	1	1	3
P. Plumley, J.	F	5	6	2
D. Plumley, C.	C	3	2	8
Grennan, G.	G	0	0	0
Kunde, G.	G	2	1	5
Totals		11	10	13

Proviso (22)				
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
Anderson, J.	F	4	1	4
Page, J.	F	0	0	1
Bocke, J.	F	2	1	4
Bennett, C.	C	0	0	0
Totals		6	2	9

Confidence Game Count Held Valid

State's Attorney Pires Indicated Take Case to January Grand Jury

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State's Attorney Morey C. Pires, in a statement issued after this morning's hearing, indicated that the case will be presented to the January Grand jury for its consideration.

Bond, which was set at \$5,000 on the confidence game charge, will remain in effect for each of the defendants.

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Discussing the criticism of Judge Dixon's activities, Judge Wheat said:

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"I find that, in general, there is no merit in this contention. It would appear that he was motivated solely by his interest in the public welfare."

"However," his opinion continued, "it does appear that the presiding judge inadvertently called such grand jury from its private jury-room into the public courtroom wherein certain proceedings were had in the presence of at least four unauthorized persons and where others may have been within hearing range."

Holding that it is an "essential and fundamental characteristic of a grand jury" that its deliberations be secret, he said that "it is important that there be an assurance that no possible outside influences have any opportunity to affect the course of such jury's conduct."

Called to Court Room

The grand jury was called to the Circuit court room shortly after it opened deliberations here by Judge Dixon when he received a letter from Leroy Meyers, reportedly giving a detailed story of transactions in the sale of the Latta and Hanson farms to the state, deals from which the indictments came.

Pires' Statement

"Since the action of the court in quashing these indictments is not a decision as to the guilt or innocence of these defendants, I believe that proper law enforcement requires the presentation of these matters to the next grand jury for its consideration."

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Judge Wheat's ruling denied charges by the defendants that the grand jury which returned the indictments Aug. 26 was not legally constituted, impeded or summoned.

They charged that grand jurors should have been served with summons in person, but had been served by mail. Judge Wheat ruled that "the method of summoning the grand jury or the manner of showing the summoning by sheriff's return or otherwise is unimportant when it appears that the jurors actually reported for service."

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Walnut Woman Is Injured in Wreck on Christmas Day

(Telegraph Special Service)
Walnut—Mrs. Elmer Langford suffered a broken arm Christmas morning in an automobile crash near Decatur while she, her husband and their daughter, Rita, were enroute to Terre Haute, Ind., to spend the Christmas weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Langford.

Taken to a Decatur hospital for medical treatment, she was transferred to Perry Memorial hospital, Princeton, Friday. Their car was badly damaged in the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dawson and children, Mrs. Harry Dawson and son Harold left Sunday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Leo Dawson's parents at Tampico, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kruse and son Kent of Marion, Ia., were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kruse. In the evening they had as guests their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Elger of Sterling, who had been spending Christmas with relatives in St. Louis, and Miss Mary Elger of St. Louis, who had accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dienslake and son were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Clinton of Rock Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sergeant were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Sergeant in Stelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gorman were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Conner in Peoria.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Peach were: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peach, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Mattie and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wingate of Peoria.

Frank Dremann left Sunday for his annual winter visit with his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Dremann and family at Salt Lake City.

Mrs. O. C. Nusselt spending the holidays with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Cusack at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen La Russa moved last Tuesday into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Westley Broer. On Wednesday they went to Hillsboro to spend Christmas with Mrs. La Russa's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Auman and daughter went to Freeport on Wednesday to spend Christmas with Mr. Auman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Auman.

Mrs. Everett Livey and daughter Marilyn and Mrs. Grace Scott spent Christmas in East Chicago, Ind., with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scott and family.

At a Christmas eve party, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Broers had the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Atherton, son Ray and daughter, Anita, Jeanne Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Irl McMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Broers, Mr. and Mrs. Harm Broers and sons and Mrs. Pansy Leahy.

At the Henry Johnson home for Christmas dinner were: Manlius and John Lovegreen, Will McKeeown, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Larson, Charlene Rudiger of Walnut and Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett of Buda.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whited and daughter, Marjorie of Buda, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bangtson and sons were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bangtson.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Wayne McDonald were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clary and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Clary and son of New Bedford; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Van de Velde of Sheffield; Mr. and Mrs. George Carley of Wyanet, Miss Lizzie McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glaze had the following guests for Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohler of Kewanee, Charles Peterson of Moline; Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Gerbitz and sons, Mr. and Mrs. William Epperson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker and daughter, George Gerbitz and Mrs. Lulu Scott.

At the Carl Gustafson home were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Curtis and family of Saybrook, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pope and son of Tam-

ulco, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gustafson and family, Miss Emmy Lou Bohn and Miss Barbara Dahl.

At a Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Franks were the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Franks and son and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laverne Franks and son.

Mrs. Ingeborg Sargent of Rockford was a Christmas guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schmitt, who also have their son Dick home from Carroll college for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gonigam and family were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Stone.

When excited, or in pain, the hippopotamus actually sweats blood.

FORD HOPKINS

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY CANDY SPECIALS

69c CHOCOLATE COVERED BRIDGE MIX
Assortment of Fanned Chocolate Confections, Seedless Raisins, Spanish Peanuts, Orange Jelly, Nut Patties, etc.
59c POUND

Regular 69c CREAM FILBERTS
Delicious Sugar Coated Filberts—The Kind You Can Eat and Eat.
49c POUND

Colorful Assorted SILHOUETTE MIX
Many Different Flavors and Shapes
49c POUND

49c GUDE THYNGES COCONUT FILLED SQUARES
You will crave for more of these squares.
39c POUND

39c AFTER DINNER MINTS
Tempting, Delightful Cool and Refreshing Taste.
29c POUND

When your little one catches cold—

Relieve Distress As He Sleeps!
At bedtime rub warming, soothing Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back. VapoRub's special relief-bringing action starts to work instantly to soothe irritation, ease coughing, relieve muscular soreness and tightness. And then—even while child sleeps—VapoRub keeps right on working to bring relief. Remember, it's the best-known home remedy you can use to relieve distress of colds. Try it!

CLOSING OUT SALE!

Having sold my farm I will sell at public auction all the personal property on my farm, located 4 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Polo; 6 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Forreston; 1/2 mile south and 1/2 mile west of Route 64, from the east, on

Monday, January 5, 1948

Commencing at 11:00 a. m. Sharp

69-- HEAD OF LIVESTOCK --69

3-- Head of Horses -- 3

1 red roan matched team of mares, coming 8 yrs. old, weight 3500 lbs.; 1 brown riding horse, 10 yrs. old, exceptionally good for cattle.

29-- Head of Cattle -- 29

6 Guernsey cows, T. B. and Bang's tested. 1 Guernsey heifer calf, 2 months old; 10 Guernsey yearling heifers; 12 Hereford steers and heifers, on feed, weight 600 lbs.

37-- Head of Hogs -- 37

37 Spotted Poland Fall Pigs

FARM MACHINERY

IHC Model H tractor on good rubber, with corn plow and power lift, A-1 condition; IHC 2 bottom 16 inch plow; IHC 8 ft. tandem disc; Model A Farmall tractor, new last spring, with cultivator and 18 inch plow; IHC 4 section drag with folding drawbar; IHC horse drawn 6 ft. mowing machine; IHC 10 ft. cultipacker; John Deere 999 horse drawn corn planter with 80 rods wire, fertilizer attachment and tongue truck; John Deere 2 row rotary hoe; John Deere endgate seeder with grass seed attachment; John Deere 40 ft. steel elevator and hoist; John Deere horse drawn manure spreader; New Idea side delivery hay rake; triple box wagon with wide tires; double box wagon with wide tires; wagon with manure box; low wheel wagon with hay rack; John Deere 999 corn planter; McCormick 10 ft. disc; McCormick 8 ft. binder; Meyers manure loader which will fit M or H International; Rock Island 4 section drag with folding drawbar; phosphate spreader, like new; one horse garden cultivator; horse drawn garden plow; garden hand cultivator; bob sled; milk cart; block and tackle; IHC hand corn sheller; butchering kettle; 2 gas barrels; 4x14 ft. feed bunk; set work harness; western stock saddle; 4 ten gal milk cans; 500 chick size elec. brooder, new last spring; elec. tank heater; 50 bu. hog feeder; 2 ten bu. hog feeders; 100 gal. water fountain and heater; 2 hog troughs; 32 ft. extension ladder; rubber tire wheelbarrow; Starline grapple hay fork; 10x14 ft. tarpaulin; hog crate for ringing hogs; tower corn plow; speed jack.

HAY AND GRAIN

About 600 bales of mixed clover and timothy, put up without rain; about 1,500 bushels Corn.

Household Items

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By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, Dec. 27—(AP)—
At this point, more than two
years after the atomic bomb burst
on Hiroshima, what do you know
about atomic energy?
Trying to get you to know more
is taking up the time and thinking

of many individuals and a num-
ber of organizations.
They're trying to do a double
job:
1. Spread information about the
peaceful uses of atomic energy.
2. Make people think about the
dangers of atomic war.
David E. Lillenthal, chairman of
the government's atomic energy
commission, wants to see more of
this kind of work done.
And he's optimistic about what
the American people will come to
know of atomic energy. He has
said:
"Common Knowledge Soon
"I can see the time not long
off when the terms Geiger coun-
ter, radioisotope, the Baruch plan,
Alpha particles, neutron absorp-
tion, nuclear reactor — these will
become just as much a part of
common speech and common un-

derstanding as carburetor, X-ray,
high octane, short-circuit, and
frequency modulation have be-
come in other fields."
The organization doing most to
get Americans to know about
atomic energy is called the Na-
tional Committee on Atomic In-
formation.
It was set up around Christmas
time in 1945 and is made up of
80 national organizations which
include:
American Association of Uni-
versity Professors, American As-
sociation of University Women,
American Jewish Congress,
Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen,
National Peace, CIO, Foreign Pol-
icy Association, Federation of
American Scientists, National
Congress of Parents and Teachers,
National Education association,
Progressive Citizens of America,
National Negro congress.
Education of Public
The announced purpose of the
NCAI is:
"The education of all the citi-
zens of the United States to the
social and scientific facts about
atomic energy and its significance
for the welfare and security of
our nation and for all civilization."
NCAI does its work this way:
It tries to distribute atomic in-
formation through its member or-
ganizations and through various
local organizations, libraries and

individuals and by filling indi-
vidual requests for information.
It supplies material to maga-
zines, film and screen writers.
And besides all that, it sends
out pamphlets and folders on
atomic energy.
And it reprints, and distributes,
stories on atomic energy.
The atomic energy commission
itself doesn't try to distribute this
kind of information. Lillenthal
says he doesn't think this should
be a job for the commission.
But he says the commission
thinks the job should be done by
civilian organizations. The com-
mission can give them guidance in
their work.

Altgeld Centennial in Chicago Held Yesterday

Chicago, Dec. 28—(AP)—Cere-
monies observing the centennial
memorial of the birth of John
Peter Altgeld, Illinois Democratic
governor from 1893 to 1897, were
held in Chicago yesterday. A
wreath was laid on the grave of
Altgeld in Graceland cemetery.
The centennial observance will
end tomorrow with a public din-
ner at which U. S. Supreme Court
Justice William O. Douglas will be
principal speaker.

Howe Explains His Decision To Alter Position on Ticket

Republican State Treasur-
er Makes Statement on
His Candidacy

In announcing his intention to
seek the Republican nomination
for lieutenant governor instead of
the office of secretary of state,
State Treasurer Richard Yates
Rowe explained:
"I have been extremely proud
to be a part, in several capacities,
of the Republican State adminis-
tration which for the last seven
years has provided the people of
Illinois with sound, efficient, and
progressive state government. I
believe the welfare of our state
demands a continuance of that
leadership in the important four
years ahead.
"Since the Constitution bars me
from seeking re-election as State
Treasurer, several months ago I
announced my candidacy for
Republican nomination as Secre-
tary of State, the only state office

now held by the opposition party.
I have been more than gratified
by the pledges of support in that
candidacy which have come to
me from Republicans in all sec-
tions of Illinois.
"Feels He Is Qualified
"It now appears that the
Lieutenant-governor of Illinois
will not be a candidate for re-
election. I feel that my education
and private business experience
as well as my experiences in public
office as State Treasurer, as Secre-
tary of the Illinois Budgetary
Commission and as Secretary of
State have particularly qualified
me for the very important legis-
lative duties which the Constitu-
tion imposes in the Lieutenant-
governor. Therefore, I have de-
cided to stand as a candidate for
that office in the Republican pri-
mary next April 13th. I trust
that all my friends who have
previously endorsed me for Secre-
tary of State will support me for
Lieutenant-governor.

Contribution to Harmony
"In making this change, I am
seeking to contribute to Repub-
lican party harmony in Illinois,
which has constantly been my goal
in a quarter century of activity
in Republican party affairs. In
the interest of Republican party
harmony, which I consider a must

to consolidate gains made on both
State and National levels by the
Republican party in Illinois, I am
becoming a candidate for Lieu-
tenant-governor. William G. Strat-
ton, our Congressman-at-large,
with whom I campaigned in the
Republican victory of 1946, and
whose office is eliminated by the
congressional reapportion-
ment past by the last General As-
sembly also had announced his
candidacy for Secretary of State.
"While Bill Stratton and I would
have conducted a dignified and
constructive campaign in which
we both would have been content
to leave the decision to our fellow
Republicans. I am very happy that
it will now be possible for his
friends and mine, who cooperated
so successfully in our victory ef-
fort of 1946, to work together
again in the cause of a State and
National Republican victory in
1948."

GRAVITATIONAL ODDITY
The planet Mars has two small
moons, each only a few miles in
diameter. The gravitational pull
of these small bodies is so slight
that a baseball player, living
there, could throw a baseball
around the entire globe and catch
it as it returned.

Study of Society for
Future, Stoddard Plan
Chicago, Dec. 28 — (AP) —
George D. Stoddard, University of
Illinois president, believes a scien-
tific study of society in the fu-
ture toward making political and
social decisions on public affairs
will be necessary.
Dr. Stoddard takes the view
that all persons are concerned
with "the problems of human re-
lations but we have tended to
solve them on a very amateurish
basis."
The university president, speak-
ing over the University of Chi-
cago Round Table broadcast over
NBC yesterday, said:
"For instance, by the use of
scientific measurement we know
how to distinguish human ability.
We know now that high ability
rests in every social and economic
level of our society and that chil-
dren differ widely not only from
each other, but from their par-
ents."

REAL MOTHER GOOSE
Mother Goose was a real per-
son. She lived in Boston and was
the wife of Isaac Goose. Her fa-
mous songs were sung to her
grandchildren, and a son-in-law
had them published in 1716.

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MEN'S WORK RUBBERS 2 BUCKLE \$3.00 VALUE \$2.21 MUD RUBBERS \$1.88	GROWING GIRLS' SPORT SHOES VALUES TO \$7.00 \$3.00 SPECIAL
WOMEN'S, GIRLS', BOYS' SWING BOOTS \$3.45 VALUE \$2.21 SPECIAL	CHILDREN'S SHOES VALUES TO \$6.00 \$3.00 SPECIAL
CHILDREN'S TWO SNAP GALOSHES \$2.25 VALUE 98c SPECIAL	BOYS' and GIRLS' INDIAN MOCCASINS VALUES TO \$4.00 \$2.00 SPECIAL
BOYS' and GIRLS' TENNIS SHOES \$2.50 VALUE \$1.88 SPECIAL	WOMEN'S DUPONT NYLON HOSIERY \$1.00 Pair
WOMEN'S, CHILDREN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS VALUES TO \$4.00 98c SPECIAL	WOMEN'S LADY DARN PROOF HOSIERY 2 Pcs. \$1.00
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Ohio Opens Fight Against Transfer of School District

Oppose Survey Board's Plan to Put School in Walnut District

Ohio high school board members, a special citizen's committee, and an angry populace girded today for a determined fight against a Bureau county school survey board plan under which the Ohio school district would be absorbed by the Walnut district, and they promised a court fight, if necessary, to hold their school district.

Opposition to the survey board plan has risen swiftly since a stormy public hearing on the supplementary school reorganization report, held in Walnut, Dec. 8 when, Ohioans report, they were unable to exact assurances that their school would not be closed and the enrollment moved to Walnut.

To See Barrett
George L. Sisler, chairman of the citizen's committee, announced that the group will confer with Attorney General George F. Barrett on the dispute in the near future and would also retain legal counsel.

"We think it wise," he said, "to employ an attorney to look after our legal interests, in other words make a test case of it if need be."

Ohioans charge that when the school survey committee held its meeting there earlier this year, school board members were told that Ohio would continue as a separate unit district, but when the survey board's supplementary report was released several weeks ago it showed that the present Ohio school district had been placed in the Walnut district.

Not Informed of Change
The survey board has said that the change was necessitated by a law passed by the last session of the legislature fixing a population requirement of 2,000 for all high school districts. Ohio falls approximately 900 short here. Ohio officials are doubtful that one of the districts included in the present report meets that requirement, and charge that the survey board failed to notify the school board of the change.

They declare that their board should have been informed of the switch and given an opportunity to meet with the survey board to work out a plan enabling them to keep their school as a separate district.

School leaders there issue the law establishing the population minimum "unfair," and point to the fact that although their district can't meet that requirement under its present limits, their school is fully accredited by the state and provides a good curriculum.

Enrollment Now 60
The high school, which includes territory along the Lee-Bureau county line in its district, has an enrollment of 60 this year, lowest in recent years. Board members say that figure will increase materially next year, and, if requests for some added territory are met, the enrollment might go over 100.

The present Ohio school building, housing both grade and high schools, was built in 1930, and the building itself is valued now at nearly \$200,000. The debt on the school will be paid in full in

1949. The school's curriculum lists 22 subjects, including Smith-Hughes Home Economics and Agriculture.

Offer Counter Plan
In place of the present set-up, the Ohio delegation is seeking to retain the present district as a separate unit, with two Ohio township grade districts and portions of two Lamotte township districts added to it. They also want a board member elected to the district unit board from each section of the district to provide complete representation.

The Bureau county plan, which originally called for nine district units but now provides for only seven, has also run into opposition in DePue, which district has been tossed in with Hall township of Spring Valley.

Deaths

VITTORIO EMANUELE

(By The Associated Press)

Alexandria, Egypt, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Vittorio Emanuele III, 78, the diminutive king whose 20 years of subservience to Benito Mussolini led to the downfall of the House of Savoy and nearly brought about the ruin of Italy, died in exile yesterday of pneumonia at his Alexandria villa.

Elena, tall, 74-year-old wife of the former ruler, was at his bedside when death came.

The former king was stricken with double pneumonia Wednesday while preparing to celebrate Christmas with his family.

A dispatch from Lisbon said that Umberto, who succeeded his father as king for one month, until the Italians threw out the monarchy, planned to leave today for Alexandria.

Vittorio Emanuele, esteemed by his people after World War I, came under the domination of Mussolini in 1922 when the latter marched on Rome and the king summoned him to form a cabinet.

At the time Marshal Pietro Badoglio was reported to have asked the king to give him a few regiments to smash the black shirt uprising, but was turned down because the king wanted to avoid bloodshed.

During the ensuing years the five-foot-three monarch signed a long series of fascist decrees Mussolini placed before him.

Picture Changed

The picture finally changed in July, 1943, when allied victories in the Mediterranean theatre showed Italy's true weakness and Vittorio Emanuele played a major role in unseating the dictator to whom he had played yes-man for so many years.

In 1944 when the Allies took Rome, the king surrendered his power to Umberto as lieutenant general of the realm, a move which made him king in name only.

Public feeling remained hostile, and in a final move to save the House of Savoy Vittorio Emanuele abdicated in favor of Umberto and sailed with his wife to Alexandria.

The move was too late, and a month later the Italians voted in a plebiscite for a Republican form of government.

Vittorio Emanuele, who succeeded to the throne on July 29, 1900, when his father, Umberto I, was assassinated, met Elena, a Montenegrin princess, who stood six inches above him, while representing his father at the coronation of Czar Nicholas II in St.

Petersburg. They were married in Rome in October, 1896.

Besides Umberto the couple had four daughters, Yolanda, the eldest, married Count Calvi di Bergoglio in 1923.

Mafalda married Prince Philip of Hesse. After Mussolini's downfall she was placed in Buchenwald prison camp and died there in August, 1944, from bomb wounds suffered during an allied raid.

Giovanna married King Boris III of Bulgaria in 1936. With her son, King Simeon II, she came to Egypt in September, 1945, after the Bulgarians had voted out the monarchy.

MRS. EVA C. HART
Chicago, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Mrs. Eva Cruzen Hart, 84-year-old baseball enthusiast, who once helped direct the affairs of the Chicago Cubs, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Karl A. Meyer.

She was the widow of James A. Hart who owned the Cubs from 1892 to 1905. During those years as an assistant to the club owner, Mrs. Hart acquired a lively interest in the game and it never flagged.

She was born in West Liberty, O. Burial will be at Erie, Pa., her husband's birthplace.

C. C. TIBBITTS
Dixon friends have been informed of the death of Chauncey C. Tibbitts, a former resident of Dixon, who passed away at his home at Independence, Iowa, Dec. 13. The funeral and burial took place at Independence.

MRS. MAUDE PRYOR
Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Mrs. Maude Russell Pryor, 72, widow of band leader Arthur Pryor is dead.

Mrs. Pryor, a native of Salt Lake City, died here Saturday following a lengthy illness. Her son, Roger Pryor, band leader and actor, was expected to arrive today to return the body to Asbury Park, N. J., the family home, for burial.

Also surviving is a second son, Arthur Pryor, Jr., Arthur Pryor, Sr., follower of John Philip Sousa, died in 1942, also aged 72.

JOHN T. POWERS

Kewanee, Ill., Dec. 28.—(AP)—John T. Powers, 73, first president of the former Wisconsin-Illinois baseball league, died Saturday of a heart ailment in his home at nearby Sheffield.

He was active in sports promotion in Chicago during the early part of the century and worked as a sports writer.

His widow, three sisters and two brothers survive. Funeral services will be held in Sheffield tomorrow.

Local—

GEORGE MILLER

George Miller, 67, 703 Broadway street, was found dead in his home Saturday when police were called by a neighbor, Mrs. Fred Meyer, who became alarmed when she failed to arouse him when she went to his home. He was born April 1, 1880 in Hungary and had been in failing health for several years. He was employed at the Medusa Cement Company plant east of Dixon for about 30 years.

An inquest was held Saturday afternoon at which time it was found that death resulted from natural causes. Funeral services will be conducted at the Randall funeral home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. William E. Thompson officiating, and interment will be in Chapel Hill Me-

morial park. As far as is known he had no living survivors.

JACOB B. KOEHLER

Jacob B. Koehler passed away at his home, 117 Lincoln avenue, at 7:10 Saturday evening following a long illness. He was born in Sublette, Lee county and for 30 years farmed in South Dixon township. He is survived by three sons, Francis and Albert of Dixon and John of Cleveland, Ohio; one daughter, Margaret Payne of Amboy; six brothers, Fred and George of West Brooklyn, William of Arlington, Adam and Andrew of Sublette and Paul of Amboy, and one sister, Mrs. Edward Rapp of Sublette. Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Jones funeral home and at 9:30 at St. Patrick's Catholic church, the Rev. T. L. Walsh officiating. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery at Sublette.

Suburban—

MRS. ELLEN H. ANDERSON

(Telephone Special Service)

Ohio, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Ellen Hadell Anderson, 86, was born near Stockholm, Sweden, Dec. 31, 1861 and passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Johnston, in Ohio Saturday morning at 10:15 after having been bedfast for the past nine years. She came to this country with her parents at the age of five years since when she has resided in Bureau county. In 1880 she was united in marriage to Olof Anderson, also a native of Sweden. To this union seven children were born. The husband and one daughter, Mrs. Edith Young of Geneseo, preceded her in death. Surviving are the following: three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Heuer, Princeton; Mrs. Eleanor Johnston and Miss Adell Anderson of Ohio; three sons, Arthur, George and Howard of Ohio; 20 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held at the Johnston residence in Ohio this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Merle A. Hall, pastor of the Ohio Methodist church officiating and interment was in Oakland cemetery at Princeton. The casket bearers were: William L. Anderson, Howard Anderson, Jr., Robert Anderson, Richard Walter, Leonard Carlson of Ohio and Calvin Young of Geneseo.

MRS. LILLY S. COY

(Telephone Special Service)

Oregon, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Lilly Smice Coy, 74, lifelong resident of Ogle county, passed away at the Warmolts clinic in Oregon Friday evening at 7:15 following a paralytic stroke. She was born in May, 1873, in Pine Creek township, the daughter of Nathan and Elizabeth Myers Smice. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Coy, one daughter, a sister and a brother. Surviving are one son Leonard Coy of Oregon, a daughter, Mrs. William Campbain of Chana, eight grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Two sisters, Mrs. Garfield Long, Mrs. Henry Reed and one brother Frank, all of Oregon also survive. Funeral services will be held at the Campbain residence Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock and at 2:15 at the Pine Creek Brethren church with the Rev. Nelson Rittenhouse.

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INEVITABLY that line of thinking had linked up with Jimmy Peters skulking around outside that night, watching Avis and Art together in my living room and too jealous to come inside. I had refused to go on from there. The idea of Jimmy Peters with his contagious smile and friendly eyes being the murderer was outrageous. But I couldn't quite forget, either, that a lot of boys were coming back from war with some unpredictable kinks in their characters.

But now, talking to Jeff, I remembered something else—something that had happened that fatal night and that I had entirely forgotten. The car lights that had shone along the driveway when I had been down in the kitchen fixing the sandwich tray; and how I had assumed that it was Jeff's car turning in from the street. And how he hadn't come into the house for a good 10 minutes afterward.

All that rushed into my mind as I looked at Jeff. And I felt as if someone had hit me in the stomach.

The question shaped itself reluctantly but stubbornly I had to know. "Jeff, what were you doing that night—I mean between the time when you drove into my driveway and the time you came into the house?"

Jeff looked at me then. "I was sitting in my car thinking how nice and simple everything would be if only Avis were dead—and I were free to ask you to marry me." He stated it flatly and unemotionally. A fact to be faced.

On Jeff... I stared at him while my mind spun groggily from the impact of his meaning and things clicked into place and there it was—the mystery solved. And Jeff the murderer!

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo

HEAVENS! SHE'S GOT A TEMPERATURE OF 104! CALL THE DOCTOR—QUICK! I THINK SHE'S GOING INTO CONVULSIONS!

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assisted by the Rev. Raymond Canfield, officiating. Interment will be in the Pine Creek cemetery.

MRS. REBECCA BOWERS
(Telephone Special Service)

Polo—Mrs. Rebecca Bowers, 90, died at 10 a. m. Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Boward, 708 Congress street, with whom she lived.

Funeral services were to be held at 2 p. m. today from the Melvin funeral home, Polo, with burial in Fairmount cemetery. The Rev. E. A. Schmidt, pastor of the Evangelical United Brethren church, was to officiate at services. Burial was in Fairmount cemetery.

Mrs. Bowers was born March 3, 1857, in Frederick county, Maryland, and came to Illinois in 1880 after her marriage to John Bowers, who died in 1936. They lived on a farm near Polo until 1935, when they retired and moved to Polo.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Carl Zigler of Brookville and Mrs. Clyde Shipman of Polo; six sons, John, Harry, Frank and Elmer, all of Brookville, and Joseph and Dewey, both of Polo; a brother, John Hoffman, Polo, and her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Boward, Polo.

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The Paradettes, who have furnished holiday entertainment at the Dixon state hospital since 1943, will present a two-hour variety show of 20 acts at the institution at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The members of the troupe are:

Larry Kelly, Ted Garner, Rex Flach, Buz Hollewell, Larry Palmer, Don Hamill, Betty Meurer, Dolores Newman, Sharon Dale, Connie Meinke, Virgil Waterbury, Shirley Williams, Barbara Lueke, Carole Slothower, Doody Dale, Bob Croat, Rita Rutenour, Marge McElhatten, Barb. Byrd, Evelyn Murphy, Vera L. Black.

Church News

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

The Youth League of St. Paul's Lutheran church is sponsoring a roller skating party for church young folks of Dixon. Tuesday evening from 8 to 11, at the Dome rink.

All church folks of Dixon and their friends are invited, and there is no age limit fixed. Just, "how young do you feel?" Come!

CARD OF THANKS

I am taking this opportunity to thank the citizens of Dixon for their cooperation during my recent illness at the KSB hospital. This includes not only the doctors, the nurses, the hospital staff and the blood donors, but also those persons who indirectly contributed to my recovery. My family and I shall remember these associations with deep appreciation and eternal gratitude.

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White Pine Visitors Totaled 225,000 in '47

Starved Rock state park near LaSalle attracted a million visitors in 1947 to lead all Illinois state parks and memorials in attendance, according to figures released today by George W. Williams, state parks superintendent.

White Pines state park near Oregon attracted 225,000 visitors during the past year, Williams reported.

Other parks reported upon were Pere Marquette, Grafton, 325,000; New Salem, 300,000, and Lincoln tomb, Springfield, 325,000. Lincoln home was visited by 275,000.

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MURDER AT MY HOUSE

By Rene Ryerson Mart

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THE STORY: Letcher asks more questions but tells me nothing except that the accident was actually a murder. He wants to know who asked the drunks at the party. He says search my house. After they leave, I go down to the stable looking for Jeff. Before I find him, Mr. Leaphan remarks that Avis' death certainly works out nicely for me since it leaves Jeff free. I change my mind about seeing Jeff just then. The police might think we both had a motive for murder.

scattering of gay rag rugs on the wide planked floor, potted geraniums in the window recesses, and a square deal table and two long peg-legged benches instead of chairs at the dining end of it. The electric stove sits back in a brick-faced alcove that imitates a fireplace and the ice box is camouflaged to look like an old dish cupboard.

BUT it wasn't as spry and spry that day as it might have been. There was a pile of unwashed dishes in the sink, dust on the furniture, and the floor needed mopping. Consuelo, my Mexican cleaning girl, only comes in for a half day twice a week. And she'd spent most of her time on her last visit at the scene where Avis and Art were killed, looking for souvenirs instead of cleaning my house. I apologized a bit to Jeff for the kitchen's appearance and for Consuelo.

He had an idea. "Say, maybe I could get you a full-time maid. Avis had a good one—Marie Ma-joney, her name is. She's still over at Avis' apartment sorting out her belongings. Want me to see if I can hire her for you?"

"That would be marvelous," I said. "Simply marvelous."

I grilled the steaks and mixed a green salad and set out a bottle of wine (I had driven down to the liquor store that day and replenished my stock of drinks), quipping, "Here's a little 'See-that-we-had-some-suspense-of-our-own-to-cope-with'."

I was a little loozing about it. "Jeff, do you know that the police think Avis and Art were murdered—that it wasn't an accident?"

Jeff didn't look at me. He looked down at the table. "Yes," he said. "I know."

Leaphan had suggested that I

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE

SOCIETY NEWS

Frances E. Gorham, Patrick Brewer, Jr., Married in Rectory

Miss Frances Elaine Gorham, daughter of Mrs. Frank J. Gorham, 622 Ottawa avenue, became the bride of Patrick Brewer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Brewer, Sr., of Chicago, Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock in St. Patrick's rectory. The Rev. T. L. Walsh officiated.

Miss Dorothy Mae Gorham, sister of the bride, and Frank Zimmerman attended the couple.

White Ballerina Suit

The bride wore a white ballerina suit with green accessories and an orchid corsage. As maid of honor her sister wore a brown ballerina suit with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Gorham chose a black pin-stripe suit with white accessories and a corsage of white roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a beige suit with black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Wedding Breakfast

Following the ceremony a breakfast was served at Peter Piper's. The table was decorated with an arrangement of white mums, a wedding cake and huckleberry.

After a short wedding trip the couple will reside in South Bend, Ind.

Mrs. Brewer was graduated from Dixon high school and attended Rosary college. She is a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority and has been employed by the Florsheim Shoe company in Chicago.

Out-of-Town Guests

The bridegroom attended high

Tuesday Social Events

St. Patrick's church parishoners. Annual Christmas dance at Loveland House, 8:30 o'clock.

Job's Daughters. Stated meeting at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. 7 o'clock.

school and law school in Chicago. He is employed by a finance company in South Bend.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Miss Patricia Brewer, Mrs. R. J. Zimmerman, Mrs. E. Snyder, J. R. Folker, Joseph Randazzo and Mrs. B. J. Doyle, all of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. William L. Kilian, Miss Mary Jane Kilian and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wahl, all of Sterling; John Voornes of Peoria; Miss Dorothy Collins of Keokuk, and J. D. Barton of Aurora.

TELL OF MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Max Florschuetz of Lee announce the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to Andrew W. Aschenbrenner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Aschenbrenner, Sr., of Amboy, which took place Dec. 26 in Clinton, Ia. The Rev. J. E. Schoenborn of the Zion Lutheran church in Clinton officiated.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Goodsell and guest, Miss Kleppenger of Dayton, O., were guests of the Misses Rogers and Amos Bosworth Saturday evening.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin V. Mellott entertained friends at dinner last night.

State DAR Will Begin Working on New State Project

With Christmas passed the 113 chapter conservation chairmen, Illinois D.A.R., will return to their work on their State project, assigned this year by the Illinois chairman, Mrs. John P. Carson of Watonsville. These women are collecting and preserving the scattered and often unrecorded data in connection with the naming of the "Tree Towns" of Illinois.

There are approximately one hundred of these towns. They are in every part of the state, and all native trees are represented from the evergreens and the red-bud to oaks, elm and ash. The fruit trees, too, have had a part in naming towns. Each chapter has been assigned one of these towns' name, and its conservation chairman makes the research. The records when complete will be preserved in the D.A.R. Historical Trees Record in Washington, D. C. This is a part of the National Conservation projects of this society, which its national chairman, Mrs. Charles A. Christian of San Fernando, Calif., is promoting.

Tribute Grove Project

The National Tribute Grove of ever-living redwoods is another national project. The Sequoia, said to have been growing before the birth of Christ, and called the greatest living wonder of the natural world, once gone can never be replaced. The unit to be preserved by the D.A.R. towers above the main highway between California and Oregon, sometimes to the heights of 350 feet.

The grove is to be established and preserved in honor of the men and women, living or dead, of the armed services in World War II. Names of those who are to be honored will be inscribed in a permanent record — the Golden Book — which will be enshrined in Washington, D. C.

The human conservation of this committee is carried on in connection with the American Red Cross, the American Cancer association, Aid to the Blind, infantile and tuberculosis organizations and with constructive work and recreational plans for children.

The additional funds will be raised through an Honor Roll which will bear the names of servicemen of World War I and World War II. A campaign for 15 cents per capita also will be conducted to provide funds for the

bas-relief which will grace the tower.

Mrs. William C. Langston of York, Pa., chairman of the Memorial Bell Tower committee, has asked all state historians to serve under Historian General Mrs. Van Court Carwithen of Malvern, Pa., as state chairmen for Valley Forge.

Mrs. Langston said that other methods of raising funds will include chapter member scrolls and by subscriptions to various windows, stores, stairways, etc.

The National Carillon when completed is expected to be one of the finest not only in the United States but in the entire world.

Nearly all of the bells are now in the temporary tower. The carillon eventually will have 48 bells, one for each state, and a national bell thus making a total of 49. Should Alaska and Hawaii win their statehood, arrangements undoubtedly will be made to include two additional bells.

MORRISSEY SCHOOL CHILDREN PRESENT HOLIDAY EXERCISE

Morrissey school pupils presented their Christmas program at the school under the direction of Mrs. Johanna Fitzpatrick. A large lighted tree decorated the room and following the program Santa Claus distributed gifts from under it. Refreshments were served and the group sang, "White Christmas" at the conclusion of the evening.

The program given by the pupils follows:

Recitation, "We Welcome You," Julie Morrissey.

Dialogue, "Rainbow Candles," Entire school.

Sng, "Let's All Sing Like the Birdies Sing," Entire school.

Recitation, "Lazy Betty," Lucella Morrissey.

Songs, "Away in a Manger," "Santa's a Jolly Good Fellow," School.

Dialogue, "Uncle Sam's Mistake," Joe Morrissey, Eleanor Willstead, Clarence Morrissey.

Songs, "School Days," "Margie," School.

Dialogue, "Uncle Grouch," Lucella Morrissey, Joan Dempsey, Stephen Morrissey, Joseph Morrissey.

Song, "Adeste Fideles," School.

Dialogue, "Kidnapping Santa," Clarence Morrissey, Eleanor Willstead, Joan Dempsey, Julie Morrissey, Lucella Morrissey.

Lullaby, "Christmas Eve," School.

Christmas Lullaby—School with Julie Willstead as the mother of the baby.

Recitation, "Our Christmas Wish," Joe Morrissey.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Culley, 703 East Third street, will entertain New Year's Eve with a cocktail party at their home.

Faith E. Barnhart Marries A. Osborn

In a noon ceremony Christmas Day in the Presbyterian parsonage, Mrs. Faith E. Barnhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Struckman, and Abo R. Osborn exchanged nuptial vows. The Rev. Bliss B. Carlwright officiated.

The couple were attended by Mrs. Barnhart's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Nordman.

Bride in Blue

The bride wore a blue crepe dress with silver nailhead trim and her corsage was a white orchid. Mrs. Nordman wore a grey crepe dress and a corsage of pink camellias.

Mrs. Osborn has been a member of the staff of the Dixon public hospital for the past 14 years. Mr. Osborn has resided in Dixon for six years and is the owner of the Rock River Service company. They are residing at 910 North Dixon avenue.

EVENING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Hoefler entertained Saturday evening for their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Geer of Louisville, Ky. There were 15 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Geer have returned to Louisville.

JOB'S DAUGHTERS

Job's Daughters members will have a stated meeting Tuesday evening, Dec. 30, at 7:00 o'clock in Brinton Memorial Masonic temple.

BREAKFAST

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Erikson entertained at breakfast Sunday morning at their home in Grand Detour.

DORSET COTTAGE

The Misses Woodbridge will entertain at Dorset Cottage Tuesday for Mrs. Kline of Evanston.

JUVIE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS AT HOME OF MRS. WADSWORTH

Juvie club members met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alice Wadsworth. A short program was presented comprised of a solo, "Silent Night," by Miss Donna Schermerhorn and a solo, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," and recitation, "Just Afore Christmas," by Melvin Grobe.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Miss Schermerhorn, president; Miss Jackie Bay, vice president; Miss Diane Long, secretary; Mr. Grobe, banker; Denton Swarts, flag bearer; Johnny Behrardt, guard of fraternalism; Duane Swarts, club reporter; Neil Plock, right marshal; Roger Plock, left marshal; Mrs. Wadsworth, musician.

At the conclusion of the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostess.

TO FREEPORT

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell of 317 East Fellows and Miss Kleppenger of Dayton, O., were guests of the Goodsell relatives in Freeport Sunday.

Tarnished copper or brass may be cleaned by rubbing surfaces with hot lemon juice or vinegar and salt. The acid juice dissolves the tarnish and salt has a mild scouring effect. As soon as tarnish is removed, however, the article should be thoroughly washed in soap and water to remove all traces of cleanser.

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Wilma E. Burrows, Bride of W. Lyon

Marriage of Miss Wilma Eloise Burrows, daughter of Mrs. Ella Burrows, 2302 First street, and William J. Lyon, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lyon of Branch, Mich., took place the afternoon of Dec. 26 at 2:30 o'clock in the parsonage of the Immanuel Lutheran church. The Rev. C. L. Wagner officiated.

The couple were attended by Miss Doris Anne Hoyle, niece of the bride, and Arthur Gilmore of Lansing.

Bride in Suit

The bride wore an American beauty suit with dark accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Miss Hoyle wore a medium blue street-length dress with winter white and black accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

The couple left on a trip to Branch and Ludington, Mich., upon return from which they will reside at 3620 Jones-Lake street in Lansing.

Mrs. Lyon attended grade and high school in Dixon. The bridegroom is a veteran of 28 months service with the USN and is employed at the Fisher body division of General Motors in Lansing.

NEW YEAR'S GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cleaver, Mrs. Margaret Trostle of Oregon, her son, Court Trostle of Chicago, and Don Hussey of Franklin Grove will be New Year's dinner guests at the Charles Jenkins home, Sunnyskies.

MARIAH MUZZEY, D. MORGAN MARRY IN DIXON CHURCH

Marriage of Mrs. Mariah Muzzey, 324 North Dixon avenue, and DeWitt Morgan of Woosung took place Saturday afternoon in the First Methodist church in Dixon. The Rev. Merrill S. Tope, pastor, read the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Muzzey of Springfield attended the couple. Following the ceremony a luncheon was served at the Hotel Nachusa after which Mr. and Mrs. Morgan left on an extended trip through the South and Southwest. After March 1 they will reside in Woosung.

FAMILY PARTY

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kennedy of Bluff Park entertained with a family dinner party, 18 in number, at Peter Piper's.

ELDENA LADIES CLASS

Members of the Ladies class of the Eldena church will meet Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 31, at 2:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Harry Rinehart. There will be a white elephant exchange.

Additional Society on Page 6.

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DUKE SLUMP CAUSES 40-31 DEFEAT AT KENOSHA

Bobtales

By BOB FALLSTROM

Before these paragraphs hit the street, the Dukes will have met East Aurora in DeKalb's holiday tournament, continuing a strenuous vacation schedule.

Friday night the future appeared bright for Lee Davison's second local team. The period of happiness faded perceptibly, however, Saturday night, 24 hours after Rock Island toppled.

Kenosha, Wis., didn't have any business on the floor with Dixon, measuring the Dukes as they appeared in beating Rock Island. Dixon, had it worked up to that standard, could have won by 20 points.

You know what the score was . . . 40 to 31 in Kenosha's favor. A terrific letdown was responsible. In part, these other factors combined to bring defeat:

1. Dixon couldn't hit the hoop, cashing only 10 of 73 field shots.
2. Dixon couldn't connect on free throws, flubbing 16 of 27.
3. It was Dixon's fourth game of the week and second in two nights, which may have sapped 'em.

Apart from cold facts, though, Dixon's offense didn't mesh at any time. Actually the boys beat themselves since Kenosha, pitifully weak, was just along for the ride.

For some inexplicable reason, Dixon has developed a chameleon complex of in-and-out ball. On certain occasions, as against Clinton and Rock Island, the type of performance defies criticism, but then other times (Beloit and Kenosha are the top examples) the showing is miserable.

NEW TWIST—Princeton, blessed with a top cage team this season is issuing its own publicity now. We received a carbon copy typewritten sheet yesterday extolling the Tigers as follows (partial quotes):

"The Tigers are playing ball as a team that is displaying marvelous team spirit and morale. The outstanding part of their play so far is their defense that has held seven foes to 208 points while the Tigers were getting 338, an offensive average of 48 points per game and a defensive mark of 30."

Competing in the Paris tourney, Coach Al Lewis' team tackled Sullivan at 10:45 this morning.

SHORT SHOTS—Monmouth, pre-tourney choice in the Holiday Basketball meet at Wharton fieldhouse, Moline, beginning today, is paced by Don Armstrong of Geneseo, former NCIC star. . . Savanna has twice topped the Mt. Carroll holiday tourney, which begins its fifth run today. The host school and Oregon were other winners. . . A tear gas bomb tossed through a window of the DeKalb Recreation Friday darn near drowned the alleys in tears. The outraged keggers spilled bucketsful of eye wash. . . Harry Woodyatt, Sterling softball speed demon, is quite a basketballer, too. He's captain and leading scorer of the very successful Sterling Moose (won 9 lost 2) . . .

MT. CARROLL TOURNEY

Undefeated Rockets and Thomson Paired

Mt. Carroll, Dec. 29—(Special) —Flawless Rock Falls, one of the prime favorites and an almost certain bet to survive the lower bracket dog-fight ties into undefeated Thomson at 7 p. m. today in the third session of the 16-team Mt. Carroll tourney.

Other games this evening are Elizabeth vs. Mt. Carroll at 8:15 o'clock and Oregon vs. Savanna at 9:30.

Previous games scheduled this morning and afternoon were Fulton vs. Mt. Morris, Warren vs. Milledgeville, Amboy vs. Lanark, Morrison vs. Sterling Community and Erie vs. Lena.

Quarter-finals came up Tuesday afternoon and evening with semi-finals Wednesday afternoon and the consolation and championship games Wednesday night.

Paul Potts and George Covert of Dixon are officiating, along with Bill Cregan and Gulovick of Freeport.

Detroit Lions May Be Sold

Detroit, Dec. 29—(AP) — By nightfall, the Detroit Lions may be sold by Fred Mandel to a seven-man Detroit syndicate.

Conferences aimed at consummating a deal for the National Football league club were set for today. The Detroit combine planned to meet with league Commissioner Bert Bell at 9:30 a. m. (CST) and with Mandel two hours later.

How long it takes to complete the transaction will hinge on Mandel's price. The Chicago department store executive, who held the franchise since 1940, reportedly will ask \$25,000 or \$30,000.

Ashton's Holiday Tourney Begins With Four Games

Ashton, Dec. 29—(Special) — Ashton's holiday tournament continues here tonight with varsity contests between Steward and Malta and Lee Center and Ashton.

Reserve games this afternoon paired Malta and Lee Center and Ashton and Steward. Finals are arranged for tomorrow evening.

SPORTSMEN WILL PRESENT POULTRY NIGHT THIS EVE

Poultry night will be held this evening at Plum Hollow by the Lee County Sportsmen's association. The public is invited to attend.

PREP STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T
Littleton	1	0	0
Rocky Mountain	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
St. Albans	1	0	0
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St. Albans	1	0	0

Locals Turn Sour; Fail to Hit Net

Kenosha, Wis., Dec. 29—The hot and cold Dukes turned sour Saturday night here as they dropped a 40-31 decision to previously winless Kenosha.

Off form from Friday's great upset victory over Rock Island, Dixon dropped its second game in Wisconsin territory this season although Kenosha played only mediocre ball.

The Dukes caged but 10 of 73 field goal tries for a miserable 14 per cent shooting average and their floor game was just as poor.

Capt. George Wallace carried Dixon's offensive lead by unloading five buckets and four charities for 14 points. Otherwise, though, Dixon was shackled, both Jim Phelps and Loren Munson failing to register a point.

8-0 Kenosha Lead

Kenosha, in the throes of an eight game losing streak, raced off to an 8-0 lead shortly after the tipoff and led throughout the game by margins of six to nine points.

The Red Devils lacked height but consistently managed to work the ball in close, a trick Dixon couldn't master. Most of the Dukes' shots were from far out.

After Kenosha shoved the count up to 8-0, Johnny Eckhart converted a fast break into a Dixon bucket before Kenosha closed out the stanza with a 12-6 advantage.

Kenosha increased its lead to 22-14 at the half as the clubs battled through a drab quarter. Out-rebounded time and again, Dixon couldn't slip its offensive into high gear and barring Wallace's six point contribution, realized only a pair of foul shots.

Low Scoring Period

An extremely low scoring third period gave Kenosha five points to Dixon's four. Wallace tallied three of the locals' markers.

The teams split 26 fourth quarter points. Chuck Elliott, a sub, collected five points for Dixon as the game dragged on to its finish but Keating, a Red Devil reserve, balanced the luke-warm spree with three buckets.

Sixteen free throws missed in 27 attempts added to Dixon's general ineptness. The Purple carries a season's record of three wins and seven losses into consecutive tourneys at DeKalb and Normal, beginning today.

Box score:

Team	G	F	P	FT	Reb	St	P
Dixon	1	10	2	16	22	1	1
Kenosha	1	22	14	12	22	1	1

Totals 36 32 25 Totals 36 32 25

EAGLES LOSE, 28-21

Four Long Gallops Win for Cardinals

Chicago, Dec. 29—(AP)—The Chicago Cardinals today reigned as the National Football league champions for the second time in the professional circuit's 28-year history and they owed it all to a "fast break" that would put basketball to shame.

In fact, yesterday's league championship game at cement-like Comiskey park was exclusively a "gym shoe" romp in which the Cardinals outlasted the Philadelphia Eagles, 28-21, before a shivering throng of 30,759.

Completely reversing the traditional form of the pass-minded professional footballers, the Cardinals struck for all four of their touchdowns on two sensational gallops each by Charley Trippi, former Georgia All-America, and ex-Notre Dame Elmer Angsman.

Trippi streaked 44 yards on a quick-opening play in the first period. Angsman exploded 70 yards into pay-dirt on a similar play in the second quarter. Trippi rambled 75 yards with a punt for a third period touchdown. And Angsman zoomed 70 yards again for another touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Cards Start in Sneakers

That was the ball game, although the Eagles gamely kept within striking distance with Tommy Thompson's 53 yard scoring toss to Pat McHugh in the second quarter and short touchdown smashes by Steve Van Buren and Russ Craft in the third and fourth stanzas.

The Cardinals, tearing a page from the New York Giants, who surprised the Chicago Bears by appearing in gym shoes at the start of the second half in their 1934 league title playoff, took the field yesterday in sneakers.

The Eagles tried to start the game with sharply-honed regular football shoes, but after a penalty for "illegal equipment," quickly changed to basketball shoes and the rest of the game was a "flat-foot" affair.

Angsman, aided by his two 70-yard touchdown rambles, amassed 159 yards in 10 ball-carrying attempts to shatter the former play-off mark of 109 yards in 10 carries by the Bears' Bill Osmanski against Washington in 1940.

Tournament Play Today at 11 Spots

(By The Associated Press)

Eleven high school basketball tournaments opened today, attracting a total of 128 teams including many top rated quintets already figuring prominently in early state title speculation.

Seven of the entries were undefeated but only three at the most can survive the three-day eliminations.

Five tournaments listed 16 teams—at Centralia, Mt. Vernon, Paris, DeKalb and Mt. Carroll. Eight team events were slated at East St. Louis, Clinton, Johnson City, Jacksonville, Galesburg and Calumet City.

Another 16 team meet gets started tomorrow at Pontiac.

Collinsville Favored

The East St. Louis tournament drew the most unbeaten schools—Collinsville (won 5, lost 0), Lawrenceville (6-0) and Galesburg (5-0). The Collinsville Hawks were considered slight favorites.

At Centralia, Salem (9-0) and Robinson (7-0) defended the best records in a field dotted with strong contenders, like John (7-1), Pana (5-1), Freeport (6-1) and Centralia (6-2).

Pinkneyville's tall and experienced Panthers, who entered the Mt. Vernon tourney with a spotless five game record, faced Macomb (6-1) in a topnotch first round assignment. Edwardsville (7-0) and Mt. Vernon (7-2) also were highly regarded.

At Paris, the host school with seven victories and a single loss to Salem for the season to date, appeared to be the team to beat.

70 PHILLIES REPORT

Philadelphia—The Phillies will have the largest baseball squad in training at Clearwater, Fla., in March, something like 70 players.

LASALLE-PERU, HALL WINNERS OF I. V. CONTESTS SATURDAY

LaSalle-Peru, Dec. 29—(Special) — LaSalle-Peru and Hall Township copped Illinois Valley tournament games Saturday night. L-P nosed out Ottawa, 35-37, while Hall squeezed past Marshall, 58-55.

CHAMPIONS AT ANITA

Arcadia, Calif.—Two champions of America racing—Trainer Willie Moller and Jockey Johnny Longden—open their 1948 campaigns at Santa Anita, when the 11th winter meeting gets under way Dec. 27.

TRIPLE PLAYS

The Cubs completed two triple plays last season.



DeKalb Tourney Opens Today



Elmer Angsman, Cardinal back, goes right by his inter-fere, Tackle Joe Coomer (50), as he steps off 70 yards for a touchdown in second quarter of title game at Chicago. Philadelphia Eagle Ernie Steele (37) makes a vain effort to stop Angsman. Cards won 28 to 21.

Four Long Gallops Win for Cardinals

Chicago, Dec. 29—(AP)—The Chicago Cardinals today reigned as the National Football league champions for the second time in the professional circuit's 28-year history and they owed it all to a "fast break" that would put basketball to shame.

In fact, yesterday's league championship game at cement-like Comiskey park was exclusively a "gym shoe" romp in which the Cardinals outlasted the Philadelphia Eagles, 28-21, before a shivering throng of 30,759.

Completely reversing the traditional form of the pass-minded professional footballers, the Cardinals struck for all four of their touchdowns on two sensational gallops each by Charley Trippi, former Georgia All-America, and ex-Notre Dame Elmer Angsman.

Trippi streaked 44 yards on a quick-opening play in the first period. Angsman exploded 70 yards into pay-dirt on a similar play in the second quarter. Trippi rambled 75 yards with a punt for a third period touchdown. And Angsman zoomed 70 yards again for another touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Cards Start in Sneakers

That was the ball game, although the Eagles gamely kept within striking distance with Tommy Thompson's 53 yard scoring toss to Pat McHugh in the second quarter and short touchdown smashes by Steve Van Buren and Russ Craft in the third and fourth stanzas.

The Cardinals, tearing a page from the New York Giants, who surprised the Chicago Bears by appearing in gym shoes at the start of the second half in their 1934 league title playoff, took the field yesterday in sneakers.

The Eagles tried to start the game with sharply-honed regular football shoes, but after a penalty for "illegal equipment," quickly changed to basketball shoes and the rest of the game was a "flat-foot" affair.

Angsman, aided by his two 70-yard touchdown rambles, amassed 159 yards in 10 ball-carrying attempts to shatter the former play-off mark of 109 yards in 10 carries by the Bears' Bill Osmanski against Washington in 1940.

Dixon Plays East Aurora This Morning

(See Page 1 for Scores)

DeKalb, Dec. 29—(Special) — The DeKalb Teachers college gym became the mecca for 16 or northern Illinois' top cage units today as the 20th annual holiday tournament sponsored by DeKalb high school got underway.

Rochelle and Proviso, the latter school seeded No. 1, opened the morning round at 9:30. An East Aurora-Dixon game followed at 10:45.

This afternoon's session consisted of West Rockford vs. Waterman at 1:15 o'clock, Peoria Spalding vs. Shabbona and Glenbard vs. Sycamore.

Tonight, West Aurora meets Maple Park at 7 o'clock with DeKalb opposing Kirkland and Riverside engaging Crystal Lake.

East Aurora 2-3

East Aurora, Dixon's first foe, entered play with a 2-3 record, based on wins over West Aurora and Sonomauc and losses to Belvidere, Freeport and Dundee.

Coach Cecil May's club, nicknamed the Tomcats, is built around Center Bob Dremmel, 6-3 ace pointmaker. East Aurora boasts plenty of height with four regular scaling over six feet. Last year May led the Tomcats to the Sweet Sixteen finals.

Before the game this morning, Coach Lee Davison of Dixon announced a major switch in his starting lineup. The change sends Chuck Elliott, junior substitute, to a starting spot, replacing Ted Fish. Fish re-injured a weak leg at Kenosha, Wis., Saturday.

Munson Replaces Lahey

Davison also said he intended to start Loren Munson at pivot, dropping Dave Lahey back to bench duty. Capt. George Wallace, John Eckhart and Jim Phelps retain starting status under the new setup.

Pre-tourney talk heard here centered around Proviso, West Rockford and Waterman.

Proviso was seeded No. 1 after a poll of coaches discovered the Chicago suburban school was most feared. West Rockford was seeded No. 3 and recently had its stock bolstered by a win over Freeport.

The Warriors opposed Waterman, best of the small school entries, at 1:45 in the upper bracket's top opening duel.

The Glenbard-Sycamore and DeKalb-Kirkland matches were expected to highlight initial lower bracket firing. Glenbard reached the finals here last year before succumbing to Oak Park.

Kable Kolts Win Tourney Contest

Rockford, Dec. 29—(Special)—Mt. Morris' Kable Kolts embarked upon the Knights of Columbus tourney Saturday night with an easy 64-44 victory over Rockford School of Business.

Chuck Abbott, who also plays with Dixon Coss Dairy, led the Kolts with 18 points while Dixie-ites Bob Marshall and Bill Witzleb counted 12 and four points.

Box score:

Team	G	F	P	FT	Reb	St	P
Kable Kolts	1	24	12	12	24	1	1
Rockford	1	10	5	8	10	1	1

Totals 34 34 20 Totals 34 34 20

Forreston Meet Opens This Eve

Forreston, Dec. 29—(Special)—Stillman Valley, the defending titlist, opens varsity division play in the Forreston holiday tourney tonight at 8:30 against Lee River. Reserve teams representing Byron and Forreston launch tonight's card at 7:30.

Byron's varsity, undefeated and the pre-tourney choice, meets Forreston tomorrow.

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(By The Associated Press)

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Detroit 3, Boston 4
Montreal 3, Chicago 1
Toronto 2, Boston 1

'SEES' FEW DEFEATS

Blind Mascot Brings 'Luck' to Crusaders



Worcester, Mass., Dec. 29—(AP)—Because their lucky mascot, blind honor student Bill Gallagher, is with them the defending NCCA basketball champions of Holy Cross are confident about their game vacation trip to the south and midwest.

"I've only 'seen' the boys lose one game in the last two years", quipped the good humored vice president of the senior class who is one of the six top students at the Jesuit college.

Bill, from Maynard, Mass., sits on the bench at games and one of the players or student manager describes the play to him.

He will be on the bench in the Sugar bowl at New Orleans tomorrow night when the Crusaders play North Carolina State, at St. Louis Jan. 2 when St. Louis U. provides the opposition and at Chicago Jan. 4 when Holy Cross meets DePaul university.

Plays Described

The description of play merely fills in details for Gallagher who explains:

"I can tell from the sounds where the ball is and by the voice reactions of the crowd whether we score or miss a basket."

Bill, 25 years old, awakened one morning a decade ago "and", he said, "everything was dark. I suffered an unusual and unexplainable infection deep within my skull and have been without sight since. Until then I enjoyed perfect vision."

He remained out of school three years "going to doctors and then attended Perkins Institute for the Blind (Watertown, Mass.) where he captained the wrestling team in his senior year."

Big Nine Chase Opens This Week; 2 Games Slated

Chicago, Dec. 29—(AP)—The two opening contests of the Big Nine championship race head a 15-game basketball slate for conference teams this week.

In the conference opens Saturday night, Illinois plays at Wisconsin and Northwestern will be at Ohio State.

Illinois, undefeated in six games this season, has stepped into a role as a contender for the title which Wisconsin won last season. Illinois has averaged 62.8 points a game this season. Iowa, with four wins, is the only other undefeated Big Nine quintet.

In games with non-conference teams this season, Big Nine representatives have won 34 and lost 16 for a .680 percentage.

This week's firing opens tonight with Yale at Northwestern and Michigan at Iowa State. Michigan also will play at Iowa State Tuesday night. On Wednesday Iowa entertains Harvard at Iowa City. Missouri is at Northwestern and Wisconsin at Marquette.

Leading scorers:

Team	G	F	P	FT	Reb	St	P
Meinville, Minn.	1	6	42	32	13	11	16
Johnson, Ohio St.	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Ritter, Indiana	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Rehfeldt, Wisconsin	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Ames, Purdue	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Berberman, Purdue	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Schmittner, Ohio St.	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Eddleman, Illinois	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Cook, Wisconsin	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Wier, Iowa	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Burns, Illinois	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Harrison, Mich.	1	5	29	33	15	15	15
Stucklen, Northwestern	1	5	29	33	15	15	15

Rose Bowl Foes in Final Practice

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 29—(AP)—Southern California and Michigan head into the final stages of conditioning today for their New Year's Day engagement in the Rose Bowl, and surprisingly enough, it appears a gentle ray of hope has begun to peep out of the USC camp.

Apparently the only reason for this cautious upgrade of optimism is based on the complete secrecy thrown around the Trojans' drills—and possible new operational plans.

Mooseheart Top Four Play Today

Mooseheart, Dec. 29—(Special)—Semi-finals of the Mooseheart holiday basketball tourney this afternoon pitted Geneva against St. Edwards of Elgin and St. Charles opposite Mooseheart. The finals are slated for tonight.

In Saturday's first round games, Geneva eliminated Genoa, 41-38. St. Edwards licked Barrington, 44-35 and Mooseheart dumped West Chicago, 59-52.

Cleveland Signs Tittle of LSU

Cleveland, Dec. 29—(AP)—The Cleveland Browns, champions of the All America conference, today announced the signing of Y. A. Tittle, Jr., star passer and signal caller for the past four years at Louisiana State university.

Coach Paul Brown said he considered Tittle "one of the best collegiate T-formations quarter-backs among the 1947 crop."

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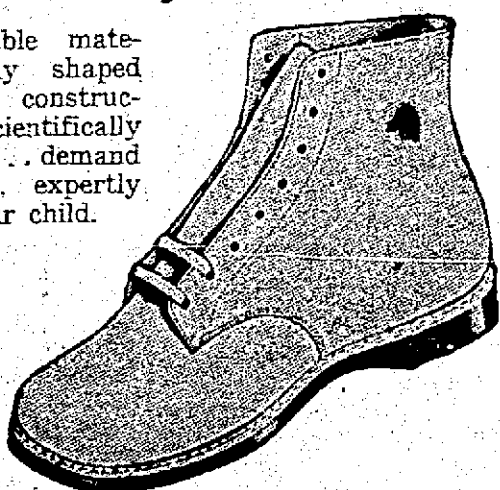
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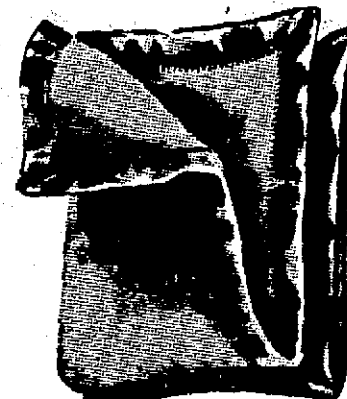
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Walnut Residents Entertain on Xmas

(Telegraph Special Service)
Walnut—Walnut families entertained relatives and friends at dinner gatherings Christmas day.
Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wallis were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newcum and family of Sterling; Leroy J. Burden of St. Louis; Miss Mary Claire Heaton, Mr. and Mrs. Max Wallis and daughters of Sterling; Miss Margaret Wallis of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wallis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Monice Wallis and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nelick and Mrs. John Cramer had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Gramer and sons, John and George, Miss Astrid Oakley and Miss Shirley Stener of Clinton, Ia.
Mr. Claude Langford, Mrs. A. W. Schmitt, Mrs. J. T. Frederick and Mrs. E. A. Gilchrist were hostesses to 30 friends Friday evening at the Langford home honoring Miss Jean Smith, whose marriage will take place Tuesday.
For Christmas dinner at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bass were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gaskin and son, Richard of Jackson, Miss, who have spent the week with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bass; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Willis of Galesburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bass and son, Glenn.
Mr. and Mrs. Selgrid Brunberg and daughter of Ashton were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hoffman.
Mr. and Mrs. Davis Parsons left last week for Phoenix, Ariz., to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marshall and son.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lauritzen and family have moved into the G. B. H. Way demonstration home in the G. B. H. Way addition, pending repairs to their house which was seriously damaged by fire the first of the week.
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffman were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wiggim and son of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Townsend and children of Ohio; Mrs. Alden Swanson and children of New Bedford; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoffman, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hoffman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McElvanna and children, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne

Johnson, Cecil and Albert Lee Hoffman.
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Borop and family had as Christmas dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burkey and son, Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Borop, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Parsons and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe had as guests for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wolfe and children of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Sidebottom and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Monice Wallis and children.
Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Daisy Strauss were: Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Morrison of Rockford, Miss Alene Strauss of Monroe, Mich., Miss Maude Strauss of Barrington and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Krebs of Manlius.
SUNSPOTS CENSORED
War censorship not only clamped down on weather reports here on earth, but also on the sun. Because disturbances on the sun affect radio reception, sunspot activity was a military secret during World War II.
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The Marshall Plan: How It Started and How It Functions

Planned Help Replaces Piecemeal Aid for 16 Nations

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, Dec. 29—(AP)—A great deal has been said about the Marshall plan in the past six months.

And more will be said in the coming months, for congress starts on the plan when it comes back to work Jan. 6.

Unless you know the background, you'll be dizzy when the fighting gets under way in congress.

So here, in three stories, is an outline of the plan: How it started, why, what it is supposed to do.

Since Germany's surrender, this country has tried to help the countries of Europe recover.

Piecemeal Job Before

We have given some help to one country, some another. It was done on a piecemeal basis without any general plan.

By last spring it became clear that Europe not only was not recovering but would need a lot more help for a long time.

But what could we do to make our help count? Continue giving on a piecemeal basis? That did not seem to be the answer.

Congress was sure to object to this kind of aid which was using up our strength without getting Europe on its feet.

So on June 5 Secretary of State Marshall came up with a suggestion. In brief, this is what he told the countries of Europe:

1. We'll help you out all we can.

2. You work out some plan for helping yourselves recover and then tell us how much added help you need from us.

Good Reasons for Offer

This was not an unselfish offer. Marshall and this government had three good reasons for the suggestion, as President Truman later explained.

They were:

1. Humanitarian—to help human beings, the people of Europe, get out of their jam.

2. Economic—to help Europe become prosperous again. This would help our prosperity later through foreign trade.

3. Political—to keep Europe from turning Communist. If the countries there became too weak, they might turn to communism as a last resort.

Shortly after Secretary Marshall made his offer, the European Communists said they would do all they could to wreck the plan.

Paris Conference Follows

Russia, and the countries under Russia's thumb, refused to have anything to do with Marshall's idea.

But 16 European nations, most of them in western Europe, snatched at Marshall's offer. Those 16 were:

Austria, Belgium, Britain, Denmark, Ireland, France, Greece, Iceland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland and Turkey.

The 16 met in Paris for weeks and agreed on a number of things they said they could do to help themselves and one another recover.

But they said their self-help would not be enough, that they'd need help from us and other American countries for at least four years.

This help would be in the form of food, coal, oil, farm machinery, steel, ships and money.

They said this help would have to start in 1948 and continue through 1951. This was in mid-September.

Now It's Up to Congress

Meanwhile, President Truman had set up a number of special committees to study the whole problem of giving Europe help. And for this reason:

To see if we could help Europe on such a scale and for so long, without hurting ourselves. The committees said we could.

Then for months, until mid-December—our government experts went over the program worked out in Paris.

They cut down a bit here, changed a bit there, and after much work, came up with their ideas.

This at last, was the Marshall plan for helping Europe.

(On June 5 Secretary of State Marshall had not offered a plan, but only a suggestion that a plan be drawn up.)

On Dec. 19, Mr. Truman sent this plan to congress, with an urgent plea that congress approve it.

Unless congress approves the plan or some form of it, nothing can be done. Congress can okay it, change it, or kill it, although it is not expected to kill it.

Mr. Truman figures that, under the plan, the help this country will have to give Europe should amount to about \$17,000,000,000 over the four year period from 1948 through 1951.

SET RECORDS

Eleven crops set new production records in 1946. They were corn, cherries, peaches, pears, plums, potatoes, rice, soybeans, tobacco, truck, and wheat crops.

Italy's Stranded Refugees Wading Through Intrigue

Slavs Constitute Biggest Part of New Group; Most Are Settled

Rome, Dec. 29—(AP)—War has left Italy human debris of races, nationalities and political beliefs amounting to perhaps a half million people who have settled to stay, if they can.

Police, who give the 500,000 estimate, say many of these people are centers of political intrigue webs reaching into eastern Europe and Russia.

The most important group of "newly seeded" foreigners is made up of Slavs—all shades of them, from White-Russians and Ukrainians to Poles, Serbs, Croats, Bulgars and all the many others that make up the great Cyrillic family.

Poles number many thousands. They came with the Germans and later with Gen. Anders' armies, and they are among those who desire least to return to their own country.

Most Have Settled

Most of them have settled themselves somehow: A girl friend, a wife, secret religious marriages—most of the Poles are Roman Catholics—many have small families and have learned the language. Children with limpid blue eyes under waxen blond hair with last names impossible to pronounce are called Giuseppe, Antonio, Maria.

The Poles are reported to have set up a sort of "guiding committee" under the lead of General Bor, famed defender of Warsaw during the anti-German insurrection of 1944. If and where he lives is a mystery, but most Poles here will swear they know "he is here" in Rome, or Milan or in a small village, and that one day he will lead the revolt of his country against the "eternal enemy" from the east.

The second biggest lot of Slavs (maybe even the first) is of Yugoslavs. All shades of them too: Followers of Mihailovic, of Pavlovic, Macek Agrarian party men, liberals, Serb Nationalists, Social Democrats and even Monarchists have disembarked on the Italian Adriatic shores, crossing the sea by rowboat and even with rafts, to escape Yugoslav police.

Yugoslav Banks Grow

The ranks of the "Jugs" are

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growing every day. Many slip into Trieste, but later leave the town as "insecure" owing to Tito's nearby armies.

In Trieste the Slavs have their own cafes where they meet, chat and discuss, sometimes even organize parties to cross the border and rescue friends. It is relatively easy for a political refugee to obtain Allied papers in Trieste.

Among the foreigners who came with the armies of the various occupation or liberation forces, the Germans are very few. As soon as they could, the Italians combed the country thoroughly to hand the Germans over to Allied prisoners' camps.

According to the police estimates, there are about 60,000 Russians, mainly deserters from Soviet and German armies.

They are organized with a center in Rome. The Ukrainians say that one of their leaders, whom they identify as Dolibukin, is still going to and fro, passing all Soviet control points in eastern Europe, sometimes pushing as far as western Poland, acting as liaison with the legendary "Benderovici"—the armies of anti-Soviet guerrillas under General Bendera, of Ukrainian extraction.

INEFFICIENT THOUGH NOISY

Tests have revealed that steam whistles are as inefficient as they are noisy. A 12-inch whistle used 4,000 horsepower in tooting just once.

Oregon Residents Entertain at Xmas

(Telegraph Special Service)

Oregon — Oregon residents entertained relatives and friends here for Christmas and the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wade and Barbara of Galesburg and Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wade and Michael were Christmas dinner guests at the home of Dr. H. E. and Mrs. Anna Wade.

Mrs. Daisy Harshman, Albert and Samuel Hurley spent Christmas in Mt. Morris with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Claussen.

Miss Ruby Nash was called to Rockford by the death of her brother on Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tremble, Jr., joined her family on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rowe at Mt. Morris.

William F. Hefty arrived last week from Phoenix, Ariz., for a visit during the holidays at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hefty.

Mrs. B. F. Shelly and Mrs. Lillie S. Ford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton E. Winston at Hinsdale for Christmas and were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. George Shelly and family of Galesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Engelbrecht and Anne spent Christmas eve with Mrs. I. E. Brady in Oak Park and Christmas day at the home of P. M. Engelbrecht in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wilde of Chicago spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wilde and all were guests of Dr. and Mrs. O. A. Goetz of Naperville for Christmas.

Miss Shirley Kirtz, who is attending the University of Chicago, is spending the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kirtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian LeMaire of Macomb and Dr. and Mrs. W. Jackson of Kalamazoo, Mich., were Christmas guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Swingley.

The Woman's Relief corps met Friday at the hall where four candidates were initiated and plans made for installation of officers at the January meeting.

Joyce Fridley entered the clinic Wednesday suffering from severe burns.

Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Jones and son of Lafayette, Ind., are visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Jones during the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry F. Wade and Michael spent Sunday in DuBuque, Ia., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hinz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Tremble, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kitson and Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hefty were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Tremble.

Mrs. William Gunder and infant daughter were released from Warrenton's clinic last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hogeman are parents of a daughter born Friday.

Charles Jones was dismissed from the clinic on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed spent Christmas in Rockford at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ebyre, Hannah and Ben Ebyre were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Keiser in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kitson were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Kitson in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rush entertained at Christmas dinner his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Rush from West Union, Ia.

DEVELOPING LANGUAGE

Salt Lake City, Dec. 29—(AP)—Don't shudder, parents, when your youngsters give out with expressions like "doozy," "hey, Butch, let's cut a rug" or other utterances rich in adolescent enthusiasm.

Junior may bring horror to parents' ears, but he is helping to develop the American language, said Dr. Grant Fairbanks, professor of speech at the University of Southern California, and vice president of the American Speech Correction Association, in an interview.

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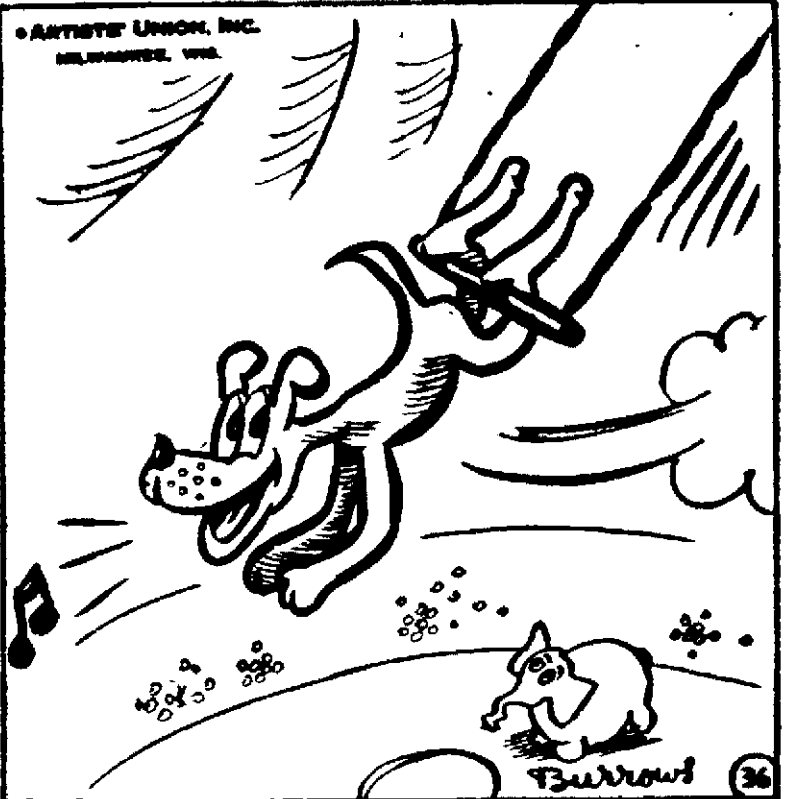
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	SARDINES MAINE 2 No. 1/4 tins 29c
	MODERNE SALAD DRESSING qt. 39c
	Frankfurters Oscar Meyer Barbecue 12-oz. tin 49c
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FOR SALE:
1937 FORD PICKUP TRUCK
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OPPORTUNITY—We are looking for a reliable married man, age 40 to 50, to handle our business in this county. There will be no delivering or collecting. Man selected will be practically set up in business on a remunerative 25%. New and repeat business. Car necessary to cover territory. Box 55, care Telegraph.

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MARRIED MAN WANTS WORK ON FARM near Dixon. Write Box 52, care Telegraph.

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Are you looking around for someone to give you \$10 thousand? We can't give you \$10 thousand, but we do have a position open that enables you to earn that much and more. Write Box 116, Rockford, Ill., stating qualifications.

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WOMEN, 25-50, attractive, free to work three or more evenings a week, conducting Cosmetic parties. Average \$10 per evening. No investment, collecting or delivery. Car helpful. Write Box 48, care Telegraph.

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15 PUREBRED DUROC BOARS, new blood for old customers, grown on oats. Vaccinated. 2 ml. SW of Tampico. Cleve Shearer.

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FOR SALE: 4 Holstein heifers, be fresh now; 4 that are fresh now. 3 heifer calves, yearlings; 1 purebred bull, 1 year old. Floyd Koch, Rt. 2, Dixon, Ill.

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FOR SALE: 250 bushel capacity wood corn crib, good condition; can be easily moved.
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Makers of Fine Candy for your enjoyment.

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—In shopping district, Saturday: Triple strand Victoria pearl necklace, valued as keepsake. Reward. Write Room 1, Rock River Hotel, Oregon, or Ph. 390.

LOST: Black Cocker Spaniel 6 mos. old. Name, "Jerry." T. W. McClintock, Phone M1579.

LOST in Dixon Tuesday, Dec. 23rd GIRL'S CLASS RING with large "B," year 1946. Initials on outside "M. S." Valued as keepsake. REWARD. Please return to Classified Department Dixon Evening Telegraph or PHONE NO. 5.

PERSONAL
See the New "ADMIRAL" ELECTRIC STOVE at HARRISON MOTOR SALES Sales—CHEVROLET—Service 414 W. 1st St., Dixon. Ph. 315

SPENCER SPINAL SUPPORTS for men, women and children. RUTH E. BROWN, 616 E. Morgan. Ph. 1680

HAVE OPENING in my home for elderly lady or couple. 802 W. First St. Ph. W792.
Mrs. John Bull

FREE
Small black and tan terrier puppies 2 months old and 2 Collies 2½ months old, 3 bird dogs 2½ months old. FREE for a good home. Owner leaving town on account of sickness. 1222 West Sixth Street.

WILL REFINISH ANTIQUE FURNITURE in my home. Phone X1453

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PUBLIC SALE

CLOSING OUT SALE
4 miles west of Dixon on Alt. 30, old Lincoln Highway, or 9 miles east of Sterling.
SATURDAY, JAN. 2, 1948
Sale starts at 10 a. m. sharp.
Farm Machinery.
50 dairy cattle to start selling at 12:30 sharp.
Terms: Cash.
ROI DEGNER, Owner

CLOSING OUT SALE, ¾ mi. N. of St. James church, Tuesday, Jan. 3, 12 o'clock. Cattle, hogs, sheep, machinery. Terms—Cash. Lunch on grounds. W. Kentner, owner.

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I will hold a closing out sale of my personal property at the farm located 1 mile north of Cemetery Corners at Lanark TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30th 12 Noon.
LIVESTOCK—2 HORSES—2 11 Head SHORTHORN CATTLE Will weigh between 1,000 and 1,200 lbs.
7—MILK COWS—7 50 White Rock laying hens. Hay and Grain—1600 bushels of corn in crib; 20 tons of clover and timothy hay in barn.
Full line of FARM MACHINERY. ED FRANK, Owner. Auctioneers: Wehmeier & Son.

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DOUGLAS SHAW

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FOR RENT:
SLEEPING ROOM
Man of good habits preferred. 806 S. Galena Ave. Ph. L767.

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Middle-aged couple. Just outside the city limits. Tel. 727.

FOR RENT: Modern 3-room FURNISHED APARTMENT with bath. Adults only. 419 South Ottawa

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Favorite wine for years. Try some tonight. GARRET WINES VIRGINIA DARE

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LUCKY YOU with the new car. Keep that upholstery clean with Fina Foam. EICHLER'S BASEMENT.

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FOR SALE: 8-pc. dining room set, very good condition, \$60 1941 "74" overhead Harley Davidson \$600. Man's tan sport jacket, \$3.00 Ted Nelson, Ph. 44R2, Compton, Ill.

FOR SALE: Apples. Hartwell's Fruit Farm 347 Brinton Ave.

FOR SALE: 4-cylinder, 18 h. p. motor with automatic governor. A few spare parts. In new condition, suitable for compressor or generator. Would make good boat motor, \$65.00. Large compressor for barn, house or garage painting, \$35.00. Gas side-arm heater, like new, \$10.00. Electric stand heater, like new, \$7.50. Tel. M127 after 6 p. m.

FOR SALE: Fr. of men's white shoe roller skates, size 10½, good cond., with case. Cal No. 5 between 8 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

SAVE FUEL THIS WINTER!
INSULATE! Granulated rock wool, rock wool batts, also Pak Zonahite, cotton rolls. Call for estimate on applied jobs. DIXON ROOFING CO. E. River Road. Ph. 749

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FOR SALE: 1916 G. M. C. PICKUP Phone 18154

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FOR SALE: Twin beds; lots of car and house radios; electric refrigerators and electric and gas ranges. Fire-proof safes, hall trees, antique dressers, bed quilts, ladies' coats and dresses and men's overcoats and all kinds of used furniture. I ZENTZ Route 30. Rock Falls

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Excellent condition. Ph. R1168
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52-inch
KITCHEN SINK
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6-ROOM SEMI-MODERN HOUSE
With furnace and electricity. — \$5,500.
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5 ROOM HOUSE EXTRA LOT
Remodeled like new. L. J. WELCH, Realtor Welch & Brader, Inc. Phone 170

1/2 ACRES at edge of Dixon in good neighborhood. Modern 2 apt. house, automatic water system, good barn and other bldgs. A. J. TEDWALL AGENCY 1234 Galena Avenue Ivan Wallace, Salesman Phones—Office 1825; Res. 8006X

160 ACRE FARM
Good black soil on 120 acres; 40 acres mixed, sandy loam; buildings fair, need some repair. \$150 per acre. 1½ miles south of Rt. 30 on good year-round road, Lee county. Contact F. J. Williams, 125 N. LaGrange Rd., LaGrange, Ill. Ph. LaGrange 3411.

5-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, extra lot, south side.
6-ROOM ALL MODERN HOME, garage, south side.
TWO 5-RM. MODERN HOMES, north side.
2-APARTMENT HOUSE, south side; stoker heat.
2 APARTMENT HOME, oil heat, north side.
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FOR SALE:
Double house, 6 rooms each; partly modern; full basement. Sale price, \$5,500.
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5-RM. MODERN HOME, \$5,500.
7-RM. MODERN HOME, \$10,000.
6-RM. MODERN HOME, \$12,000.
ALL KINDS OF FARMS FOR SALE. Andrew Scharpf, Farm APARTMENT with good income. \$8,500. Salesman.

SEVERAL SMALL HOMES for sale.
RESTAURANT in excellent location. Immediate possession. Priced to sell.
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FOR SALE:
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FOR SALE:
5-room BUNGALOW; hardwood floors; kitchen cabinets built in; bath, furnace, garage, large lot, screened in porch, large rooms and closets; located in good north side neighborhood. Will give early possession.
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BUNGALOW, about 6 years old; 3 rooms, completely modern; good neighborhood, west side. Price \$7,500. Immediate poss. HURD'S REAL ESTATE CO. 110½ W. First St. Ph. 1501

7-ROOM MODERN RESIDENCE; good location; north side.
5-RM. MODERN NEW HOME; immediate possession.
3 ROOM MODERN, like new; immediate possession.
2-APT. RESIDENCE, close in, south side.
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50 acres; 160 acres; 250 acres; 130 acres; 50 acres, unimproved. 26 acres close to Dixon. Can give possession of these farms March, 1948.
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NEW 6-ROOM HOUSE
Large living room. Streamlined kitchen. 1 bedrooms. Located on south side on PAVED street.

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5-ROOM HOUSE—Swissville.
6-ROOM HOUSE—North side.
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FARM, 139 acres, located about 5 miles south of Dixon on improved highway. This is an excellent farm, in both land and set of bldgs. Land lays well. Poss. March 1, 1948.
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NEW MACHINERY
New Holland balers, tractor manure spreaders, 4 bar tractor rakes on rubber 2-14 Hi-speed plows on rubber.
USED MACHINERY—John Deere No. 260 tractor corn planter on rubber, with fertilizer attachments, completely rebuilt. Mounted International corn planter with fertilizer attachments for all row-crop Int. tractors. 3-16 heavy duty John Deere plows on steel.
Will buy new or good used tractors, combines, balers, mowers, tractor corn planters, hydraulic lift cultivators and plows on rubber.
Can give 30 day delivery on complete new 2, 3, 4-5 bottom tractor outfits consisting of tractor, cult., plow, mower, planters, etc.
WANTED TO HIRE: One or more pickers to pick 90 acres of corn or will hire pickers with or without operator and furnish own power.
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SALE-REAL ESTATE

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MODERN TWIN BUNGALOWS, 4 and 5 room houses, close in south side. Completely remodeled; immediate possession.

2-APARTMENT HOUSE; all hardwood trim, hardwood floors, hot water heat; in excellent neighborhood, south side. \$12,500.

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5 ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, hardwood floors, all light woodwork. Complete built in cabinets in kitchen, garage, good basement, located near shoe factory. Price \$8,500.

SALE-REAL ESTATE

SMALL HOME, together with other buildings and one acre of land, located edge of city, SW side. Additional rooms could be added. Will give possession. \$2,600.

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SIX ROOM HOUSE with bath and garage with three large lots. Household furniture. This is not a prefabricated. Cow and calf. Phone L1213.

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WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: Good used 24 or 26 in. cast iron furnace, or could use ash pit section for 20th Century furnace. PHONE L1216.

We pay highest cash prices for dead horses, cattle and hogs. PHONE POIN 234. Reverse charges. POLO RENDERING WORKS

WANTED TO BUY: \$10 and up per live, crippled or disabled cows. Call Dixon 526

Amboy Student Is Heard on DeKalb Feature Program

(Telegraph Special Service) Amboy—Miss Beverly Strouss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strouss and a freshman student at Northern Illinois State Teachers college, DeKalb, was a guest on "The Man on the Campus" program over Station WLBK, Wednesday.

WANTED

A home for male fox terrier dog, 2 yrs. old. Good rat dog. Ph. L1229. 410 Lincoln Ave.

LEGAL PUBLICATION

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY Notice is hereby given to all persons that, Monday, February 2, 1948, is the claim date in the estate of Hatcher Grover, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Nellie L. Grover, Executor. Merrick & Merrick, Attorneys. Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1947

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that, Monday, February 2, 1948, is the claim date in the estate of Charles Pfeiffer, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Lillian Pfeiffer, Executor. Albert H. Hanneken, Attorney. Dec. 22, 29, 1947, Jan. 5, 1948

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY

Notice is hereby given to all persons that, Monday, February 2, 1948, is the claim date in the estate of Elmer H. Hendrix, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Bessie M. Siebolt, Administrator. Merrick & Merrick, Attorneys. Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1947

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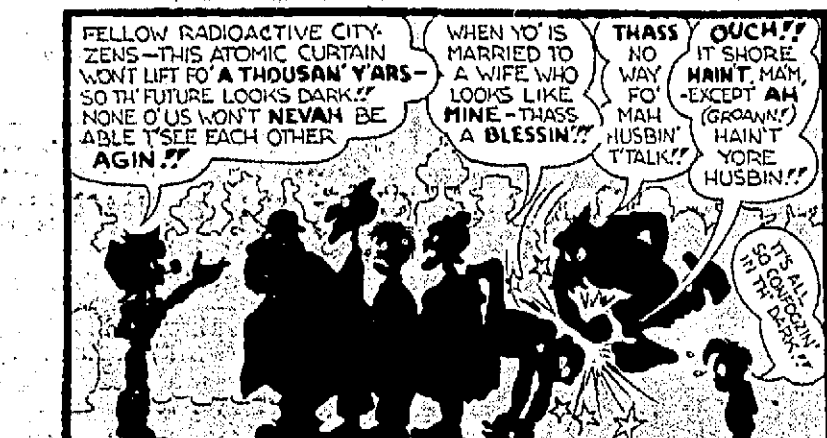
- MONDAY EVENING
- 6:00 Jimmy Blade—WMAQ News—WENR. Dr. Preston Bradley—WGN News—WBBM
 - 6:15 News of the World—WMAQ News—WBBM Air Edition—WLS Telephone Quiz—WGN
 - 6:30 Henry J. Faylor—WGN. Lone Ranger—WLS Club 15—WBBM House Party—WMAQ 45 Kaltenborn Edits the News—WMAQ Edward R. Murrow—WBBM Inside of Sports—WGN

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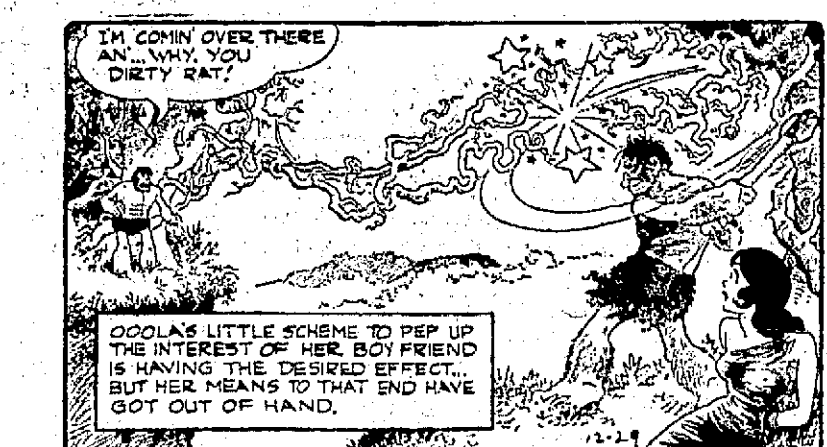
An automobile's starter should always be used sparingly, as about 30 minutes of normal driving is required to replace electrical energy used from battery for each minute of starting operation.

7:00 Inner Sanctum—WBBM. Point Sublime—WLS. Marlin & Hand—WVFL. Cavalcade of America—WMAQ Scotland Yard—WGN- 7:30 Talent Scouts—WBBM. Opie Carter Show—WLS. Charlie Chan—WGN. Christopher Lynch—WMAQ
- 8:00 Musical Program—WMAQ. In Stage America—WENR. Radio Theater—WBBM. Gabriel Heater—WGN.
- 8:30 Doctor L. Q.—WMAQ. Murder and Mr. Malone—WENR.
- Voices of Strings—WGN.
- 9:00 Contented Home—WMAQ. My Friend Irma—WBBM. Gang Busters—WENR. Fishing and Hunting Club—WBBM
- 9:30 Fred Waring Show—WMAQ Screen Guild Players—WBBM News—WENR Boston Blackie—WGN
- 10:00 News—WVFL, WENR. Mystery of the Week—WBBM Perry Como Show—WMAQ So the Story Goes—WGN.
- 10:15 Herbie Mintz—WENR. Jack Smith, Songs—WBBM Calling All Detectives—WGN Kieve Kirby—WMAQ
- 10:30 Frank Parker Show—WMAQ Platter Patter—WENR On the Century—WBBM Sports Final—WBBM Song Souvenir—WGN Howdy Mr. Lincoln—WMAQ
- 11:00 News—WMAQ, WGN Opinion Program—WBBM Promenade Concert—WMAQ Orchestra—WGN, WBBM, WENR
- 12:00 Matinee at Midnight—News: Night Watch—WVFL Orchestra—WGN Latin Serenade—WENR

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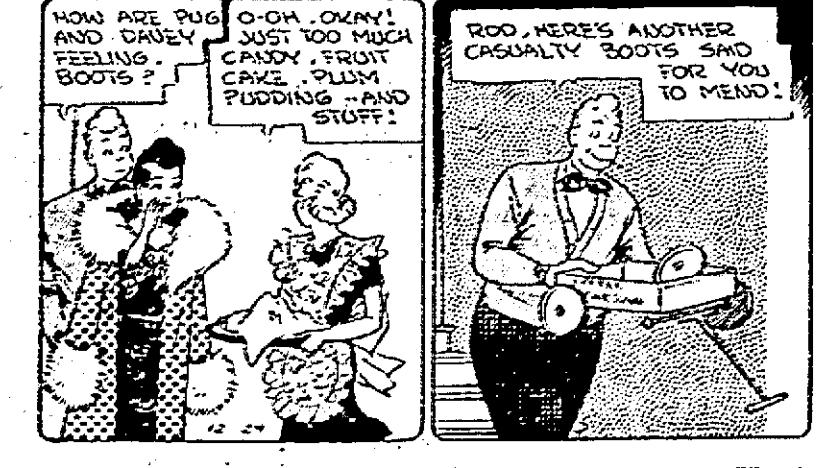
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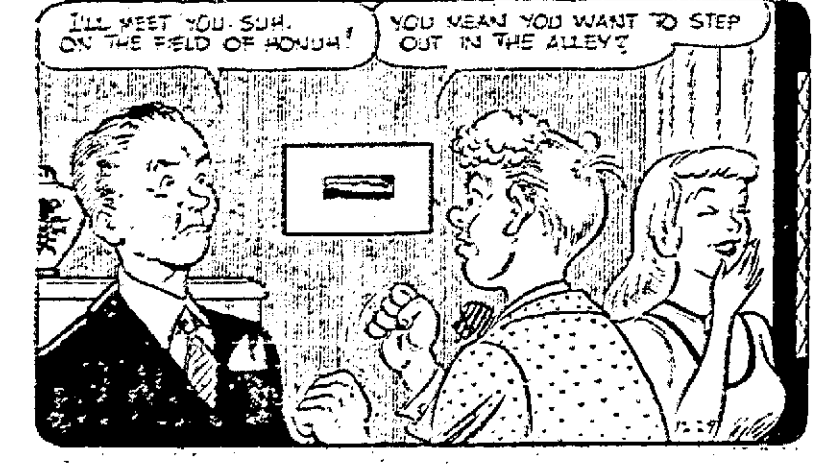
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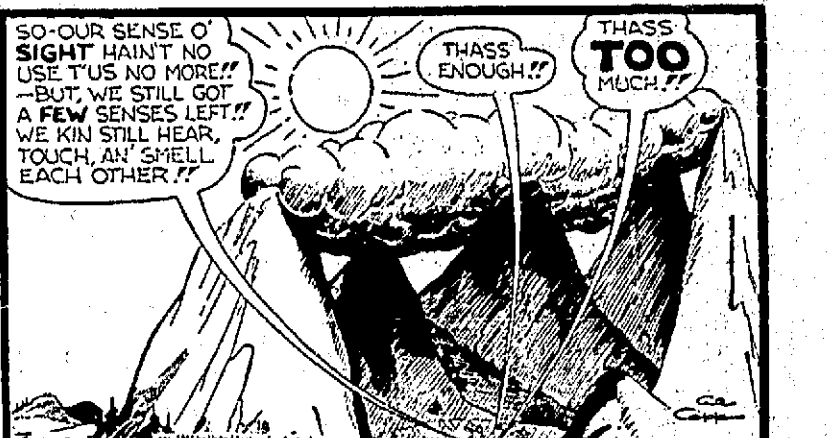
Boots and Her Buddies



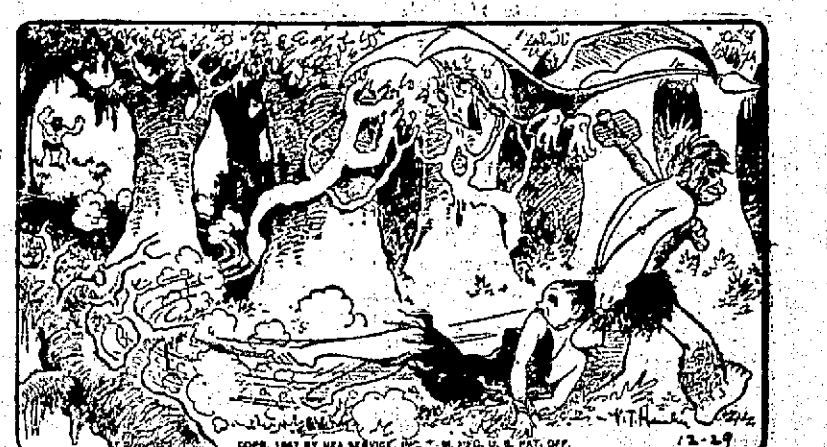
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How Grim Is My Valley



Well, Let's Be Going



Willie Comes Out of It



Pop Supplies the Punch



She Got Away



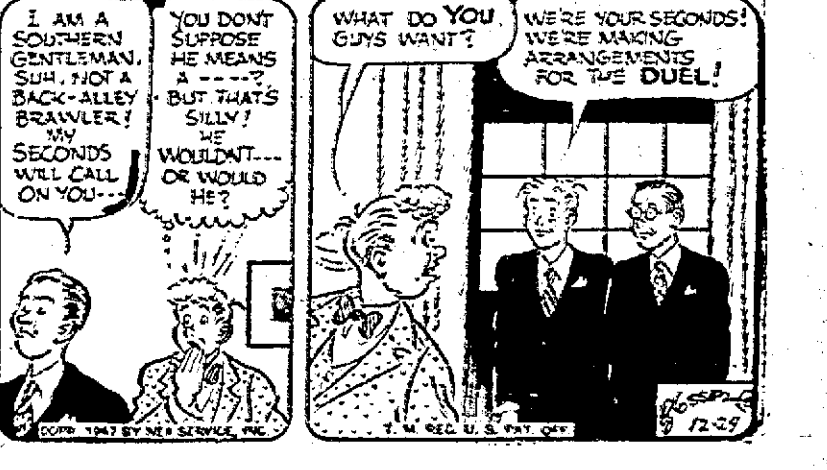
Rough and Ready



Ain't It So?



That's It



Funny Business



Side Glances



"Well, if Dinkey Jones's mother is almost ready to let him smoke, just tell him your parents almost gave you permission too!"

Late Actor

HORIZONTAL

- 1,6 Pictured late movie actor
- 11 Sequence
- 12 Comes up
- 14 Ground
- 15 Ireland
- 18 Chew
- 19 Jewish Territorial Organization (ab.)
- 20 Indites
- 22 Age
- 23 Down
- 24 Compass point
- 25 Higher
- 27 New York (ab.)
- 28 Redacts
- 30 Group of students
- 32 Decay
- 33 Vehicle
- 34 Extra
- 36 Russian warehouse
- 39 Preposition
- 40 Comparative suffix
- 41 Thus
- 42 One
- 43 Consumed
- 45 Rich men
- 50 Winglike part
- 51 Ceremony
- 52 Be borne
- 54 Thin board
- 55 Armer part
- 57 Property
- 58 Fastens
- 60 The ones here

VERTICAL

- 1 Warm
- 2 Italian river
- 3 Free
- 4 Anent
- 5 Belgian river
- 6 Walking stick
- 7 Area measure
- 8 Equip
- 9 Longs
- 10 Slips
- 11 Oscillates
- 16 Royal
- 17 Pronoun
- 20 He starred in roles
- 21 He won
- 24 Put away
- 26 Greek philosopher
- 29 War god
- 31 Constellation
- 34 Begin
- 35 Medical draft
- 37 Roof of mouth
- 38 Growing out and talking pictures
- 44 Heating device
- 46 Skills
- 47 Two (prefix)
- 48 Alleged force
- 49 Vegetable
- 50 Sorrowful cry
- 52 High priest
- 54 Saint (ab.)
- 56 Hebrew deity
- 58 Shilling (ab.)

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Boyle Gives Out Leap Year Hints For Big Man Hunt
Urges Girls to Use Good Taste in Leap Year Courtships

By HAL BOYLE
New York, (AP)—The 1948 breed of bachelor is going to be a difficult target for Leap Year lassies.

I've talked with a number of single men who say they are open to reasonable marriage proposals, but since 1948 is the year for the ladies to pop the question — they want it done right.

"Most girls are completely ignorant of how to propose properly," one young man said. "They are generally too bold or carefree about the whole matter."

"They forget marriage is a very serious thing, and no fellow in his right mind is going to say 'yes' to a flibberty girl who giggles when she asks his hand."

"Get My Father's Okay!"

This halterless lad said he thought it would be a nice old-fashioned touch if his girl knelt as she asked him to plight her his troth.

"If they come to me I'll just tell them to get my father's permission first," said another bachelor.

The consensus was that they expected to be extremely careful about the whole thing and wouldn't be rushed off their feet by any headlong courtship.

Here are a few tips, however, that ought to enable any enterprising girl to land her man.

Don't Try To Dazzle Him

First of all, don't try to dazzle him into marriage by throwing your money away on him in a gay mad tour of pleasure spots. Mere gold will not buy an honest boy's love.

You must remember that bachelors are delicate and brooding, and they want to be sure you are a dependable girl and sensitive to their moods.

When you call on your bachelor for your first date, try to win his confidence. Bring along a good book or a box of cigars — little presents like these let him know you want to please him.

Intimate gifts like underwear or shaving lotion should be avoided until you know each other better, and the family has come to understand your intentions toward him are truly serious.

Can Always Play Pool

Where to take him? Well, many young men don't like to huddle in dark smoky night clubs of questionable repute. It is better to begin by taking him to a movie or treating him to an evening of good clean fun in the neighborhood billiard parlor. Let him beat you a couple of games just for fun. He'll love you for it.

Be sure to get him home early. When you drop him at his door, don't try to kiss him. It will only alarm him and make him think you do that with all the other boys. A slight pressure on his warm little hand as you part will show your friendly interest.

Tickets to Bermuda

Naturally as you get to know him better he will become more responsive, and in time the consideration you have shown will stir him to show his affection in his own boyish way.

It is now time to talk to him about your prospects. Let him know how much money you are making and convince him you both can live on it. If you own an electric washer, mention that. He will be interested in all the details.

The best place to propose to him is on the sofa some night when his parents are away. Look deep into his eyes, hold his hand — and then just pour your heart out to him in simple terms. Tell him life is meaningless to you without him.

To clinch it, show him the two boat tickets for Bermuda you've bought for the honeymoon. Then fold the big trembling goof in your arms, sister — he's yours forever!

Polo

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Moore of Dixon were Christmas guests in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Galar. Mrs. Minnie Press of Danport, Ia., was a Christmas guest in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Galar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Powell entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Struckman of Elgin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell of Manteno, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shewley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powell at a dinner Friday evening. The guests presented the host and hostess with a purse of silver for their silver wedding anniversary which will occur Dec. 30.

Fred Dohse and daughter Florence spent Christmas in the Elmer Olson home at Clinton, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Orth and son of Toluca spent the week-end with Mrs. Orth's father, Fred Dohse and sister Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell of Manteno, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Struckman of Elgin were dinner guests in the Harry Allen home Saturday.

The Philadelphia mint issued the first American coins in October, 1792.

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114	4:40 p.m.	Daily	7:15 p.m.
16	6:20 p.m.	Daily Except Sundays	9:00 p.m.

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No.	Leave Chicago		Arrive Dixon
15	11:00 p.m.	Daily Except Saturday	1:48 a.m.
13	8:45 a.m.	Daily	10:55 a.m.
25	5:05 p.m.	Daily Except Sundays	7:15 p.m.
111	5:00 p.m.	Daily—First Class Reserved	6:28 p.m.
23	8:30 p.m.	Daily	10:23 p.m.

Panama's Refusal To Renew Airbase Lease Unfortunate

Country May Reconsider Decision; Present Hurts Defense

By DEWITT MacKENZIE
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

It is a most unfortunate circumstance—even potentially dangerous—which has impeded the republic of Panama to refuse the further lease of military bases to Uncle Sam for defense of the vast canal which represents one of the most important strategic zones of the entire Western hemisphere.

Panama ranks as one of the little nations of the world in size (estimated population some 650,000 and area only 33,667 square miles) but in importance it's a mighty atom.

For the giant canal linking the Pacific and Atlantic cuts through the heart of the republic which stretches along the isthmus between North and South America, and while the USA owns the ten-mile-wide canal zone, it is heavily dependent on the government of Panama for bases from which to protect the waterway.

So it was a shock when the Panama National Assembly unanimously refused to ratify an already signed agreement between Washington and Panama, renewing the leases on 14 military bases. Especially serious is the loss of the Hato Hato air base which is the only one from which the huge B-29 bombers can operate.

Reason for Action

Why did Panama take such drastic action? Well, there are quite a number of angles to it, but one administration official in Washington attributed the move to a "wave of hysteria," saying that it was popular in some Latin American countries to oppose the United States as "The Colossus of the North." He added that some Communist influence also had been brought to bear but that it wasn't a Communist maneuver as such.

Contrary to general expectations the United States took Panama at its word and promptly began withdrawing some 2,000 troops from the 14 bases thus transferring the defense to the narrow and inadequate canal zone. Moreover, Washington legislators started talking about building a new canal. Suggested sites include Nicaragua, Columbia and the Isthmus of Tehuantepec in Mexico. Senator Knowland California Republican stated that he would introduce legislation in congress for a sea-level canal.

The Panama canal was first projected more than 400 years ago when Balboa and other Spanish explorers actually made surveys between 1515 and 1525 across the isthmus. The initial attempt to dig a canal was undertaken by a French company in 1878. This failed and the United States acquired the rights of the company during the presidency of Theodore Roosevelt in 1904.

May Reconsider

It is interesting to note that Panama got independence from Colombia by seceding on Nov. 3, 1903, and was recognized as a free republic by the United States on Nov. 13. Critics of the Washington administration accused it of having advance knowledge of the Panama coup and charged it with hurriedness in recognizing Panama's sovereignty.

While Panama derives much monetary profit from Washington in connection with operation of the canal, many citizens of the republic have been unhappy over their country being split in two by the waterway. Some also have regarded mighty America gloomily as a sort of overlord.

However, many close observers believe that Panama may see fit to reconsider its rejection of the leases, and that the matter may be satisfactorily adjusted. Unless that does happen it certainly will be a drab day for Pan-American solidarity and defense.

Rogers and Dale Hold to No-Kissing Stand

Oklahoma City, Dec. 29—(AP)—Singing cowboy Roy Rogers and cowgirl Dale Evans, who never lapsed each other in 26 romantic western films will marry New Year's Eve at the Flying L ranch in Oklahoma's "Hereford Heaven."

The star and his leading lady of the screen and real life arrived here by train yesterday and refused to break the no-kiss custom for photographers.

"The kids wouldn't like it," said Rogers. "Cowboys don't kiss girls." And Dale nodded.

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Seven Dixonites Are Home from U. of I.

Seven Dixon men are among students at the University of Illinois Galesburg division who are spending a 16-day holiday at home. Students enrolled in the college of Liberal Arts and Sciences are: John R. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Baker, route 4, sophomore, and Kenneth L. Cramer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar F. Cramer, 512 Spruce street, freshman.

Those students enrolled in the College of Commerce include John L. Blum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Blum, route 4, freshman; George W. Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Gibson, 1833 First street, sophomore; Harvie A. Ware, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ware, 115 Morgan street, freshman, and Richard E. Worley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Worley, 204 Douglas avenue, freshman.

Senio B. Diston, son of Mrs. Gladys Diston, 918 Academy street, is a sophomore in the College of Engineering. The Christmas fur-lough began at noon Dec. 20 and will continue until 8 a. m. Jan. 5.

TREAT FOR PRISONERS
Tokyo, Dec. 29—(AP)—Metropolitan police announced today that to celebrate New Year's Day — biggest holiday on the Japanese calendar, all prisoners would get a special treat for breakfast—a fish piece, cooked whole with the head and tail intact, an oriental delicacy.

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